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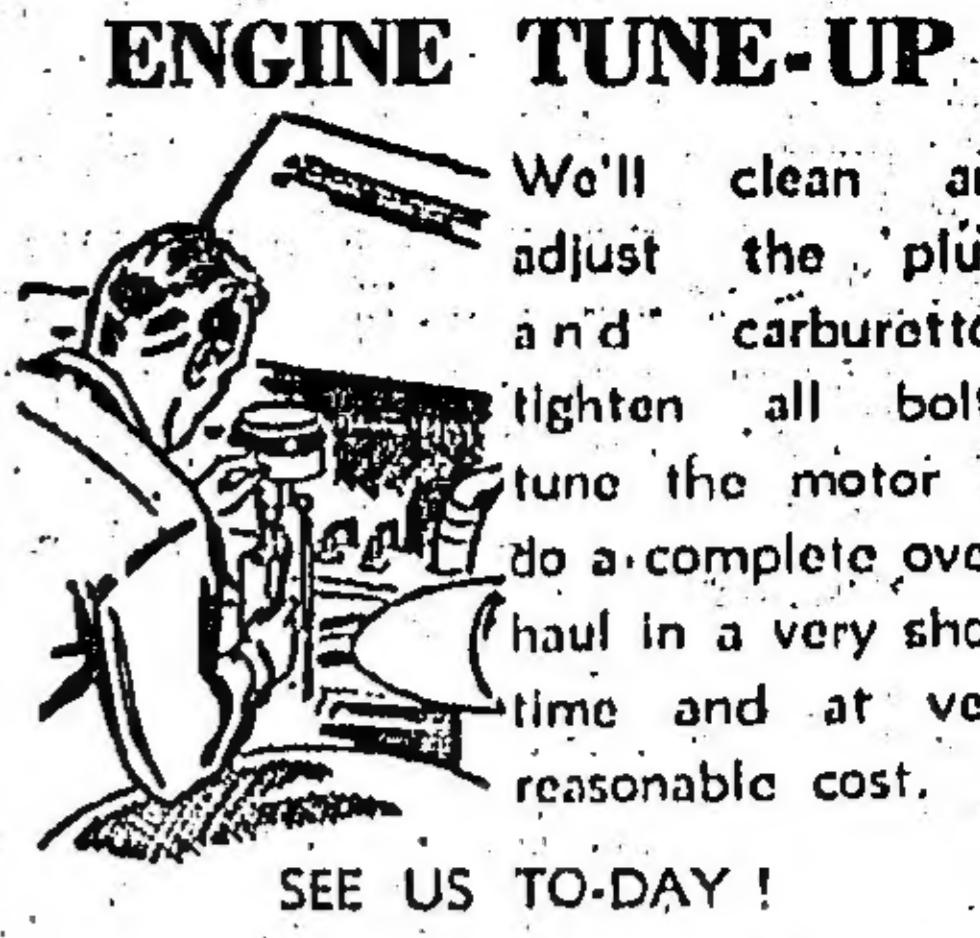
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## NEW FLOOD OF UNCONFIRMED REPORTS FROM EUROPE

# FRANCE MAY CONTINUE WAR FROM AFRICA

### Coalition Cabinet For U.S.

President Roosevelt's Bombshell Decision

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, June 20 (UP).—President Roosevelt has made the bombshell announcement that Republican leaders are to be invited to join his Democratic Cabinet—a situation unique in American political history.

The President has nominated Colonial William Knox, the great U.S. publisher and aspirant for Presidential honours, as Secretary of the Navy, and Mr. Henry Stimson, former Republican Secretary of State, as Secretary for War.

Colonel Knox was formerly an Isolationist. Both he and Mr. Stimson are now uncompromising supporters of every possible form of U.S. aid short of war for the Allies.

Mr. Charles Edison has resigned the Secretarieship of the Navy to contest the gubernatorial elections in New Jersey. Mr. Henry Woodring, the present Secretary for War, has also resigned.

A Coalition Cabinet of Democrats and Republicans is now envisaged.

No Third Term?

It is believed by Mr. Alfred Landon, the Republican candidate for the presidency, that President Roosevelt has given Colonel Knox and Mr. Henry Stimson an assurance that he will not be a candidate for a third term as President.

News of the appointments came as a bombshell at the Republican Convention at Philadelphia. Nevertheless, Republican leaders uniformly congratulate President Roosevelt on choosing two good men.

Mr. Landon, who had earlier refused to enter a Coalition Government, said: "I hope Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson have not been misled. But the country is to be congratulated that President Roosevelt has taken action to repair two weak vital positions in our national defence."

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., President Roosevelt's Republican cousin, urges the two Republicans not to accept office with the Democrats.

Washington Excited

WASHINGTON, June 20 (Reuter).—The nomination of Colonel Frank Knox and Mr. Henry Stimson for Cabinet seats caught Washington without warning and has provoked excited comment.

Coming only four days before the Republican National Convention for the nomination of a presidential candidate, the effect is doubly startling, and Congress buzzes with talk on its bearing on presidential politics.

The immediate Congressional reaction appears to be unfavourable.

A Senator, who was one of the leading candidates for the Republican nomination, said: "I see no reason

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### Spanish Press Becomes Anti-British

MADRID, June 20 (Reuter).—The Spanish newspapers have now given up all pretence of being neutral and have launched a strong attack against England.

Many British residents are now keeping their luggage packed in case of eventualities.

The paper "Arriba" says to-day, "The Falange party is not only a political instrument for the Government of the people in peace but makes possible an enormous military potential in case of war."

### JITTERY PARTNER

#### Italy's Position In War Unenviable

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—A "New York Times" editorial dwells on the uneasiness of Hitler's partners. It says: "It is noteworthy that there is little jubilation in Italy over Hitler's success in France, and the warnings and precautions against a tough struggle ahead, launched at the moment of a French defeat, indicate pretty clearly that the Italians believe that the British will continue the war, firm-in-their-determination to save the Empire.

Moscow Reaction

"No less interesting are reports of the dismay mounting in Moscow over the German armies over-ran France. The Red Army moves in the Baltic will strengthen the Russian frontiers against a victorious Germany, while at the same time staking out the Soviet claims in a re-organised Europe.

The same motive inspires the new rapprochement of Russia and Turkey. It is a sign that Stalin considers the Dardanelles a vital link in the Soviet defence system. These are moves of panic.

#### Panic Move

"Mussolini's last-minute rush to join Hitler before he gathered in all the fruits of victory was also a move of panic.

"Hitler's partners in crime are much more jittery than the British as they dig in grimly for the mass attack."

CANBERRA, June 20 (Reuter).—An Emergency Powers Bill, similar to that passed in the United Kingdom, was passed by the Australian House of Representatives to-day by 59 votes to 10.

## French Troops Cross Into Switzerland

BERNE, June 20 (Reuter).—About 40,000 troops from France have now crossed into Switzerland.

About 28,000 arrived last night, including 16,000 Poles.

French Laying Down Arms

MONTREUX, June 20 (Reuter).—Nearly 2,000 disarmed French troops and as many civilians have arrived at Neuchatel from the frontier.

They include an air force contingent of 40 officers and 600 men with camouflaged cars, lorries and equipment.

Bodies of French troops are crossing into Switzerland.

BERNE, June 20 (Reuter).—One chief condition of peace must be the

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### SITUATION REMAINS OBSCURE

#### Many Reports Are Conflicting

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Up to late this afternoon there was still the greatest obscurity about the French armistice negotiations.

Although there have been many reports on the subject they were very conflicting.

The French radio and papers said that the French plenipotentiaries left Bordeaux this afternoon. Berlin announced that they had not left.

At the same time, a German news agency said that the Nazi High Command had given orders to receive them.

The Italian news agency Stefani went so far as to say that the negotiators were on their way home to Bordeaux and that the hostilities would cease on Friday or Saturday.

None of the reports suggested the time or the place of the meeting.

On Way Back, Says Report

Rome-Radio states that the French plenipotentiaries have already left the designated meeting place and are on their way to Bordeaux.

Plenipotentiaries Named

The French Government has informed the German Government that its plenipotentiaries are General Huntziger, M. Leon Noël, Vice-Admiral Leclerc and General Bergeret, of the Air Force, according to a German news agency.

"Because of the difficulties of communication through the Spanish and French Governments," adds the agency, "the communication did not reach the German Government until one o'clock this morning.

"It was transmitted to the Fuhrer at four o'clock, whereupon the German High Command at once took the necessary steps for the reception of the French delegates."

Italy's Demands

BASLE, June 20 (Reuter).—One

At the frontier posts they are being disarmed and interned.

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detachments south of Nantes and west of Bourges, towards Montlucon and Vichy to the south of Lyons, and in the direction of Nantua.

As they came ashore shouting,

singing and cheering, they looked in the words of the B.B.C. observer as fit as a fiddle, as happy as a cricket and as tough as nuts.

The B.B.C. observer asked one man

what he thought of the situation.

Know It Would Be Tough

The man simply replied: "We knew it was going to be tough."

As they came ashore they got into

trains which were waiting to receive them.

### Aerodrome In Flames

ADEN, June 20 (Reuter).—Visitors here from Assab, the Italian port and air base in Southern Eritrea, said the aerodrome is burning and the town completely deserted as the result of British air raids.

It is stated that the glow from the fire is visible 60 miles away.

It is added that many people have fled from Massawa following R.A.F. raids.

Montevideo, June 20 (Reuter).—Waltzing Matilda and There Will Always Be An England

This band was only formed a few months ago. Quite a number of the men in it had never played in a band before they joined the army.

An Australian Army band played

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Menzies' Announcement

CANBERRA, June 20 (Reuter).—Mr. R. G. Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, to-day announced in the House of Representatives the arrival in England of contingents of the Australian Imperial Force and the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Mr. Menzies said it was of the

greatest significance to the rest of the world that at this critical hour Australian and New Zealand troops joined

troops from Canada in the heart

of the Empire.

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June 21, 1940.

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A Look Through  
The "Telegraph"

**50 YEARS AGO**

June 21, 1900.  
It appears that Britain doesn't rule the waves any longer. A telegram from London says that a French man-of-war ordered some British fishermen at St. George's Bay to leave their boats because they had landed a body of marines to enforce compliance with the order. A British man-of-war was present in the bay, but did not interfere. The old patriotic hymn must be changed now, and some meek and lowly Methodist hymn substituted.

The French Government are preparing a Bill for limiting the workmen's day to ten hours.

**25 YEARS AGO**

June 21, 1920.  
A very strong passage in Mr. Bonar Law's speech was as follows: "It is my belief that we as a nation now realize so clearly the task before us, that the nation has a right, in this hour of danger, to call upon everyone and to take what we have." (Cheers.) "Believe me, it is better to stand by principle and to see it carried out fairly where necessary, if it is carried out fairly to all classes and sections of the people alike." (Renewed cheers.)

**10 YEARS AGO**

June 21, 1930.  
The three bus companies in Kowloon have received sanction from the Police to effect an increase as from July 1. The increase will be 10% on the companies with existing rates, the new system being a charge by the mile, each route to be divided into sections. Bus travellers will be required to pay one cent for the first section and five cents more for any of the subsequent sections; while the fares for the second class will begin with the payment of five cents for the first section and 10 cents more. The monthly tickets, formerly \$5 each will be increased to \$7 while the students' tickets of \$2.50 will be increased to \$3.

**5 YEARS AGO**

June 21, 1935.  
The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, speaking in the Commons this evening, when the Dominions Office vote was deferred, said: "We minister created an entirely new situation in the relationship between the Mother Country and the Dominions. In short, our Dominions and our Empire to determine its own destiny."

On the question of defence, the Dominions again without a solitary exception agreed that while the present state of the services, which had arisen as a result of the effort to set an example to the people of Britain, and in particular to India, to take such steps to repair the national defences already announced should be undertaken.

There is much to be said in favour of the present position adopted by the Government by the Society for the Protection of Children for the establishment of children's hospitals in the Colony.

**SECRET SESSION SITS**

London, June 20.  
The secret session of the House of Commons began to-day at 4 p.m.

It was stated unofficially to-day that Marshal Petain had departed from Bordeaux with the intention of establishing an administration on foreign soil.

Friends of MM. Reynaud, Marlin, and Demarçac said to-day that they had been arrested.—United Press.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 26th June to SATURDAY, 6th JULY, 1940, both days inclusive.

**By Order of the**

Board of Directors,  
**J. P. SHERRY,**  
Manager,  
Hongkong, 11th June, 1940.

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The postage rates via the revised Imperial Airways Service are unchanged.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

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Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 10 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m. Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 9 p.m.

**INWARD MAIL**

Straits ..... June 21.  
Shanghai and Amoy ..... June 21.  
Air Mail by "Air France Airways Service" ..... June 22.

London and Straits ..... June 22.

Canton ..... June 22.

Japan and Shanghai ..... June 22.

U.S.A. and Manila (San Francisco date, 29th May) ..... June 23.

Shanghai and Amoy ..... June 23.

London and Straits ..... June 23.

Saigon ..... June 23.

Shanghai and Amoy ..... June 23.

Japan and Shanghai ..... June 23.

Japan, Shanghai and Formosa ..... June 24.

Canton ..... June 24.

Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Service" ..... June 24.

Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, June 18 ..... June 25.

Australia and Manila ..... June 25.

Shanghai ..... June 25.

London and Straits ..... June 26.

Japan and Manila ..... June 26.

Japan and Shanghai ..... June 26.

Java and Manila ..... June 26.

Manila ..... June 26.

Haiphong ..... June 27.

Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Service" ..... June 27.

Japan and Shanghai ..... June 28.

Japan ..... June 29.

**OUTWARD MAIL**

Friday, June 21.

Sandakan ..... 7 p.m.

Saturday, June 22.

Shanghai and Parcels only for Tientsin ..... 9 a.m.

Bangkok ..... 12.30 p.m.

Shanghai ..... 12.30 p.m.

Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Service" to Durban and thence by Sea Service to United Kingdom, G.P.O. and K.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France by the "Air France Airways."

K.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

G.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

Straits and Saigon ..... 5.30 p.m.

Tourane and Saigon ..... 5.30 p.m.

Sunday, June 23.

Manila ..... 9.00 a.m.

Amoy ..... 9.00 a.m.

Shanghai ..... 9.00 a.m.

Monday, June 24.

Canton ..... 7.15 a.m.

Swallow, Amoy and Formosa ..... 10.30 a.m.

Haiphong ..... Noon.

Shanghai ..... 12.30 p.m.

Japan ..... 12.30 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom.

K.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 24, 2.45 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 24, 3.30 p.m.

G.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 24, 2.45 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 24, 3.30 p.m.

Straits (Parcels only) ..... 3 p.m.

Straits and Calcutta.

Parcels ..... June 24, 5 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 24, 7 p.m.

Canton ..... 7.00 p.m.

Fort Bayard, and Holloway ..... 12.30 p.m.

Parcels only for Tientsin ..... 12.30 p.m.

Haiphong ..... 3.00 p.m.

Japan ..... 3.30 p.m.

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K.P.O.

Reg. ..... 5 p.m.



# Dressing up to Look Youthful

TO-DAY the Hollywood beauty experts reveal some of the subtler points of dress and appearance.

## HERE ARE EIGHT RULES FOR THOSE WHO SEEK A FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.

1. Be very careful about foundation clothes. They give you firm modelling.

2. Insist upon good clean necklines.

3. Favour clear blues, belges and greys. They clear the skin.

4. Wear white collars, either of the schoolgirl variety, or of that shape that men wear. Those with a more sophisticated cut are good, too.

5. An all-black dress has a Little-Orphan-Annie look. It's forlorn, so there can be nothing young about it.

Add to the all-black dress, if you would look younger and brighter, a detail of white or some becoming colour.

6. If you are mature, you'll get nowhere—as far as a youthful appearance goes—by wearing bright colours and frilly clothes.

They defeat their purpose, because they give the effect of straining for youth.

7. Whatever your age—dress for it! The woman who dresses with the dignity of her years achieves a youthful quality that is denied the woman who borrows styles and effects that were designed for those ten years younger than she.

8. If you are beyond your first youth, attempt no extreme fashion.

1. Ladies who look innocent. Ladies who do not look innocent.

2. White neckwear, soft and fluffy. Lace. Lingerie effects. Soft furs, like wolf and fox, that absorb scent.

3. Black taffeta. Fringe. Shiny, romantic things.

4. Prints are downright dangerous. Because you never can be sure whom they will and whom they won't appeal to.

They're much too highly individual in their appeal to be counted upon to please a gentleman's fancy.

5. Suits that have soft feminine rather than the stiff collar and vest harshness of men's own apparel.

6. Good taste. Women who wear bright colours and extreme fashion may catch the masculine eye, but steady-going men of refinement are uncomfortable with a woman who is conspicuously dressed.

7. Simplicity. Fussy clothes with too many buttons and buckles and tricks annoy men.

Daintiness—and insidiousness. A slip or shoulder strap showing a hem out, the tiniest spot, thrown men into a panic.

If you're angular don't try to be softly curved. Be a clan, smart wedge.

Most angular people walk with an ungainly stride. So pay particular attention by your skirts. However they are tailor-made, see to it that they move gracefully—so they will do nice things for you.

Wear no thin materials and nothing that is soft, clinging, or draper. Heavy crepes should be important in your wardrobe.



## Planning The Wedding Reception

DO NOT forget that whatever kind of reception you have, it should be thoroughly well planned beforehand, so that there are no worrying details or unforeseen hitches to mar the happiness which everybody should be enjoying on the wedding day.

### The Early Wedding

The sort of reception you give will depend to a certain extent upon the time of day in which the ceremony itself takes place.

If it is a morning wedding then the reception often takes the form of what we know as a "wedding breakfast," but which is really a luncheon party.

For a small party a "sit-down" meal is indicated which may take place in an hotel or your own house, as you prefer.

When an hotel is chosen the bride's mother merely has to discuss such things as price-per-head, menu, and flowers with the hotel manager, and see the private room in which the luncheon will be held, and then she can put the whole thing out of her mind and be quite sure that everything will be perfectly arranged and carried through.

### The Caterers' Aid

If you are rather perturbed at the amount of work entailed in having a reception at home, then you can ask caterers to come in and undertake the whole thing.

They will bring extra china, glass, tables, and chairs. They will also arrange the eatables and drinks and serve them.

The food for a buffet luncheon need not be extravagant, but it should be fairly substantial. Meat patties, cold galantine or other cold meats, such as chicken, pressed tongue, salads (some containing cream cheese, perhaps), and "open"-toasted or

plain sandwiches with savoury spreads as well as not-too-dominative sandwiches containing salads or savoury egg filling may be included. Also, various attractive sweets are the sort of things to have.

### Afternoon Gatherings

This kind of reception is also excellent for afternoon weddings, but here the food is simpler, including savouries, tea-time dainties, and always tea and coffee, though other drinks are generally included.

Many people imagine that a bride's cake and champagne are absolutely essential to a wedding reception.

However, if you have to consider expense, why not serve lighter wines, having glasses of champagne handed around towards the end in which to drink the health of bride and bridegroom.

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a large sandwich tin lined with paper. Bake 1 hour. For a change, currants, raisins, chopped dates, coconut or cherries may be added.

### SULTANA CAKE

Boz. S.R. flour.  
2oz. plain flour.  
5oz. butter.  
6oz. sugar.  
1/2 nutmeg (grated).  
a little milk.  
2oz. lard or good dripping.  
1/2lb. sultanas (rolled in flour).  
3 eggs.

Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs one at a time. Beat well. Then add the fruit and grated nutmeg, then flour. Mix well and add the milk. Put in a greased cake tin, sprinkle with a little sugar and bake about 2 hours. Have the oven hot for the first 15 minutes, then let the heat go down a little, and bake slowly. Half this mixture with one egg makes a nice small cake. Bake about 1 hour.

### ROCK CAKES

Half pound flour, good pinch salt, 2oz. butter, 2oz. sugar, 1 heaped teaspoon baking powder, 1 egg, 4oz. milk, 2oz. currants or sultanas, few drops of lemon essence, little lemon peel. Sift flour, baking powder and salt, rub in the butter with fingers, add sugar, and fruit. Beat up eggs lightly with milk and flavouring and add to other ingredients, and very quickly mix to a stiff dough.

Place little mounds of the dough, with a fork, quite roughly on to the greased baking tins, decorate them with strips of lemon peel, and put at once into hot oven. Bake a light brown, about 10 minutes.

### HALF-NOON CAKE

Separate the yolks from the whites and beat well. Add milk gradually. Cream butter and sugar, and add egg yolks and milk. Then add walnut and sifted flour and cinnamon. Add slightly-beaten whites of eggs last. Bake in a deep cake tin about 45 minutes to 1 hour.

### LUNCHEON CAKE

6oz. butter.  
2 eggs well beaten.  
essence lemon.  
6oz. sugar.  
1/2 pint raw milk.  
1/2lb. flour.  
1/2 teaspoon carbonate of soda.

Cream the butter and sugar. Add eggs, milk, and sifted flour and soda. (S.R. flour may be used.) Bake in

## In The Kitchen

### DRIPPING CAKE

Take 2lb. self-raising flour, 6oz. dripping, 2oz. sugar, 1/2lb. currants or sultanas, 1 tablespoonful vinegar, and a little milk. Rub the dripping into the flour until it is like fine breadcrumbs, add the sugar and fruit, and mix well with the vinegar and milk. Pour into a greased tin and bake in a moderate oven.

### EGGLESS FRUIT CAKE

Margarine (or butter), 1-1/2lb. brown sugar, 1/2lb. flour, 1-1/2lb. sultanas, 1/2lb. raisins, 1/2lb. golden syrup 2 tablespoonsfuls; sour milk 1/2 pint, bicarbonate of soda 1/2 tea-spoonfuls. Dissolve bicarbonate of soda in warm sour milk. Beat butter, sugar and golden syrup together; add dry ingredients. Mix with milk and bake for two hours in a moderate oven. The tin should be well greased.

### A FRUIT CAKE THAT WILL KEEP

Take 12oz. self-raising flour, 1 teaspoonful mixed spice, a pinch of salt, 8oz. sultanas, 8oz. stoned raisins, 4oz. glace cherries (halved), 4oz. chopped mixed candied peel, 4oz. margarine, 4oz. dripping, 8oz. brown sugar, 3 eggs and cupful of milk. Mix flour, spice and salt. Clean the fruits. Beat butter and sugar to a cream in a warm bowl. Beat eggs and milk together. Then add them alternately to the butter and sugar with the flour. Add the fruit last and mix thoroughly. Use a large round cake tin lined with greased paper. Bake cake for about three hours or longer, the first hour in a moderate oven and then in a slow oven.

### SODA CAKE

One pound flour, pinch salt, 1/2lb. margarine—or 1-1/2lb. margarine and 1-1/2lb. brown sugar. 1-1/2 pounds currants, 1-1/2lb. raisins, 2 tablespoonsfuls vinegar, 2 tablespoonsfuls treacle, 1 grated nutmeg, 1/2 tea-spoonful mixed spice, 1 tea-spoonful bicarbonate of soda, 2 eggs. Sift flour with salt and spice. Rub in butter. Add sugar and fruit, and mix. Warm treacle and pour with vinegar into well in mixture. Add well-beaten eggs. Lastly, add bicar-

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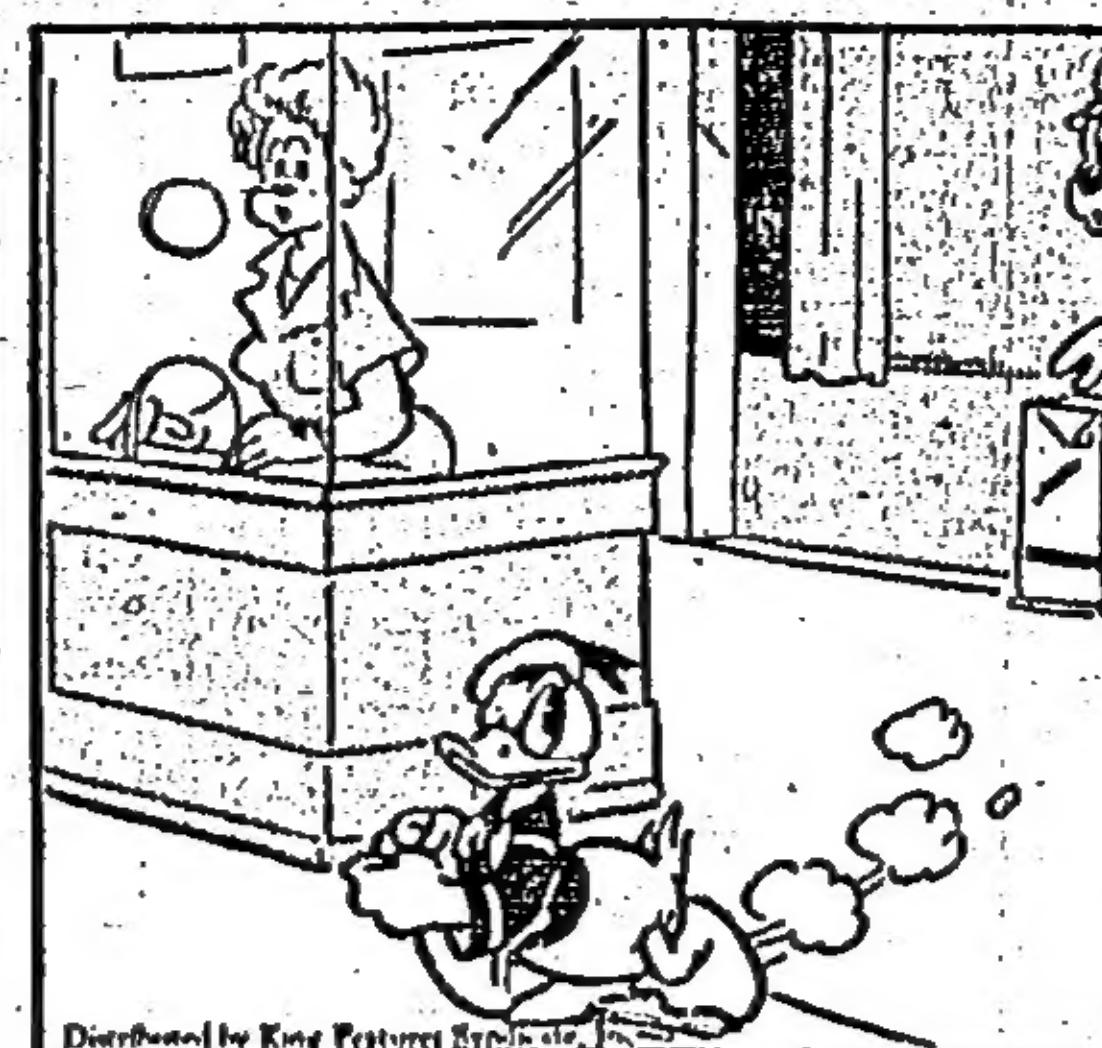
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**Dishonourable Proposal By Ex-Premier****HERTZOG WANTS TO "RAT" ON ALLIES**

JOHANNESBURG, June 20 (Reuter).—General Hertzog, former Premier of South Africa, has written to General Jan Smuts, the present Premier, proposing that South Africa should "immediately take all necessary measures to withdraw from the war."

General Hertzog asserts that the Allied cause "is doomed to failure" and protests against the "reckless risk to national freedom and the senseless sacrifice of African youth in a fruitless struggle."

He declares that further measures of compulsion for the prosecution of the war might lead to far-reaching disturbances.

**Dishonourable Proposal**  
General Smuts, in a letter replying to General Hertzog, said that this "dishonourable proposal" had already been decisively rejected by Parliament and that he did not doubt that, if re-submitted, it would suffer the same fate.

General Smuts added that he could not be expected, solely on General Hertzog's personal pressure, to violate the decision of Parliament.

General Smuts added that friends and advocates of Hitler, who look expectantly for a Nazi victory, will most probably meet the same disappointment as in the last war.

**Neutrality, A Broken Reed**

Germany herself had exposed the falsity of General Hertzog's argument that the Union could be kept from danger by remaining neutral. Neutrality had not protected Denmark, Norway, Holland and Belgium.

Germany had shown malice to the Union by continuous hostile propaganda and the formation of a Fifth Column.

The Union Government would carry out its policy on the mandate of Parliament and should not allow its execution to be nullified by political propaganda or threats of violence.

**Evacuation Plan Approved****Effect Of Scheme Explained**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—It is authoritatively stated that all the Dominions concerned have accepted the scheme for the evacuation of British children.

Liaison offices are being established in the London headquarters of the scheme.

When the doors opened at 9 a.m. this morning, 3,000 were waiting.

**Weekly Evacuation**

It is explained that the scheme does not contemplate the despatch of masses overseas, but that it is proceeding on an orderly expanding scale week by week.

It is not regarded as a substitute for the Government's major policy for the evacuation of children to places within Britain.

The scope of the scheme is limited by the offers made by the Dominions and the shipping facilities available.

The suggestion of the evacuation of schools on bloc is regarded as entirely impracticable.

**Sydney's Offer**

SYDNEY, June 20 (Reuter).—Over 1,000 British children have been offered homes here.

**STOCK EXCHANGE ACTIVE**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—On the Stock Exchange to-day, gilt-edged holdings were active and rose on continued demand.

Industrials were narrowly irregular.

Foreign holdings were more active on the removal of the ban on dealings in certain securities.

Others were easy. Shell and transport holdings declined following the announcement that there will be no further dividend for 1939.

Wall Street was narrowly irregular.

**SIX AGE GROUPS TO REGISTER.**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Two age groups are being registered this month and arrangements are being made to register four further age groups in July.

This means that by the end of next month the men of 33 years of age will have registered for military service.

The men of 29 years of age will register next Saturday.

In all more than 1,000,000 additional men will have registered by July.

**"Welcome" Awaits Parachutists**

NEW YORK, June 20 (Reuter).—The entire output of a firm which manufactures sub-machine guns is being sent to Britain.

This means 5,000 Tommy guns at present.

The factory is trying to speed up its output as fast as possible.

**EMPIRE'S EFFORT****War Contributions Flow To Britain**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Some indication of the huge and varied contributions in cash and kind which have been pouring into Britain from all parts of the Empire was given by Mr. Bryan Meredith in a talk from Daventry to-day.

It is a long list which grows longer as each day and hour passes, he said.

It ranges from heavy material support to heavy spiritual support.

The sum total is several million pounds of comforting cash.

One list entitled "Military and other gifts" has been made by the Colonial Governments, chiefs of various bodies, individuals in the British Colonial Empire and His Majesty's Government organisations. This list goes for paces and pages, not only because so many peoples have contributed, but also because the gifts are so many, so varied and so human.

**Money For War Organisations**

There has been lashings of money for the Red Cross, St. Dunstan's, the Y.M.C.A. and other war organisations as well as money for war expenses or some specific purpose, such as giant bombers.

Then there are many homely items, not in cash but in kind.

In Tanganyika, for instance, some chieftains and their people have given portions of their 1939 harvests of coffee and maize.

Another tribe sent 50 lbs. of tobacco for the services, while another sent 10 tons of rice to the King's African Rifles.

**50 Turtles For Navy**

In Jamaica, 50 live turtles have been given to the Royal Navy by a firm which specialises in them. The lonely little Island of Tristan da Cunha has sent woolen comforts knitted by 25 inhabitants.

Organisations and individuals too have sent gifts.

The Chinese section of the Red Cross of Trinidad has sent money for two ambulances.

**Lepers Contribute**

In Fiji, 600 lepers have contributed half of the money raised for their support.

The list could go on for hours and hours as it is so vast.

To the people at home these gifts represent good will and prayers that are both humbling and heartening.

**9 Rescued After Days Of Horror****New Dunkirk Drama Comes To Light**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Details of the rescue of nine French soldiers by a British fast motor boat some time after the withdrawal of the Allied troops from Dunkirk have become known in London.

For nine days these survivors had existed on board a wreck, sunk in shallow water within a few miles of Dunkirk.

**No Food Or Water**

After nine days without food or water they were rescued.

The party had originally consisted of 20 but 11 perished.

Four men built a raft and set out for England not to be seen again.

Seven others had died after drinking sea water.

The survivors had burnt their boat partly to supply warmth at night and partly to attract attention.

**CANADA'S FINE WHEAT CROP**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Cubics from Ottawa suggest in contrast to the gloomy food outlook in Nazi-occupied Europe, that Canada promises to break all records in grain production.

There are nearly 1,500,000 acres and more under wheat this year, while in the maritime provinces the rains have induced excellent growths in the pastures and forage crops.

In addition, Canada will have a record carry-over of 241,000,000 bushels of wheat with the new season.

**One-Day Secret Session**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Before the House of Commons went into secret session to-day, Mr. Clement R. Attlee, Lord Privy Seal, said that it would be undesirable to continue the debate to-morrow.

If, however, the members wanted another day it would be possible to arrange it.

There will be a debate by the Ministry of Supply next Thursday.

Mr. Attlee said that if the House desired it part of that debate might be held in secret.

**Notables Aboard**

"On board the ship were Sir Maurice Peterson, the former French Minister, M. Pierre Cot, Baron Robert de Rothschild, the French dramatist M. Henri Bernstein and the Belgian Foreign Minister M. Jaspar.

The Czech-Slovakian Minister, M. Ossaki, was not on board. He returned at the last minute to Bordeaux to look after six Czech-Slovakian almsmen.

One of the British officers on board was among the last to leave the Maginot Line.

**MORE BIG CHEQUES****FROM PAGE ONE**

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**CAUSES OF DEFEAT**

Bordeaux, June 20...

"Too many children, too few arms, too few Allies—there is the cause of our defeat," said Marshal Petain, Premier, in a broadcast to-day.

"French people, I have asked the enemy to conclude hostilities. The Government yesterday appointed plenipotentiaries to receive their conditions. I took the decision with the stout heart of a soldier because the military situation imposed it."

"We had hoped to resist on the Somme-Alsace line. General Weygand had regrouped our forces and his name alone presaged victory. The line yielded, however, under enemy pressure."

"The request for an armistice had been inevitable since June 13."

Marshal Petain proceeded to give reasons for it, saying: "On May 1, 1917 we still had 3,280,000 men under arms, despite three years' murderous fighting; on the eve of the present battle we had half a million fewer. In May, 1918, we had 85 British divisions; in May, 1940, we had only 10. In 1918 we had 100 Italian and 42 American divisions."

"The inferiority of our material was even greater than of our effectiveness. French aviation had fought at odds of six to one."

## "Captain Foster's" Racing Review

# PERFORMANCES OF THE CHINA PONIES

### Several Return From Retirement To Fill Gaps: Confusion Bay Outstanding

**OWING TO NON-DELIVERY** of China pony subscription griffins, the Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club had no other alternative but to call up the "reserves" to fill the programme, and there was certainly no discrimination of prizes between a good 'orse and a "hack" pony. The flat events confined to old China ponies during the first half of 1940 racing season can hardly be dismissed without some comment.

In the past, the "A" and "B" classes of China ponies had all the say at the Annual Carnival, but this season the small owners of "C", "D" and "E" divisions were very much in the limelight.

They should pat themselves on the back that their steeds were provided with attractive contests (the entries practically at all times being divided into two sections) from sprint to distance outings.

One would hardly believe that several ponies, which had retired from the Valley, came back into the arena, and a good few earned enough stake money to keep them going for another year.

It will be recalled that after the Spring meeting, the American owner, Mr. L. Dunbar, who was one of the main pillars of Hongkong racing, sold his entire string of Australian and China ponies for a good sum. As the news was fully reported in my racing notes of April 6, I do not propose to reopen the first chapter of his racing career, but I was very much impressed with the running of Confusion Bay in the Easter States over a mile when the judges could not separate him and the champion, Burford, for the first position in the semaphore.

In the same event there were a few equine stars such as Satinlight, the winner, Hongkong Derby, Navylight and Mount Hope Bay, and it was, therefore, a happy field. Mr. Dunbar's candidate was in receipt of 10 lbs. from Burford, but he in turn gave a stone to Eve of Harvest—a good miller.

#### SUCCESSFUL RETURN

IT may not be known outside of the racing circles that Confusion Bay assumed a new phase after being defeated in the Hongkong Autumn Champions run on December 17, 1938. After an absence of six months, his return to the course was a great success in the Whitson Plate over 1½ miles last year, carrying the top weight and he finished the season with an addition of three victories including the Autumn Championships.

In my mind the operation had done him a world of good and his return for the first half amounted to \$2,157.

While on the subject, Herod, (of whom Sir Victor Saussoo owned a third share), the winner of 1936 Blue Riband, ran with a tube, and it is learned that National Pride in his next public appearance will be despatched in the neck-and-neck gelding.

#### OTHER EARNINGS

AMONG the other "A" class ponies Navylight won \$2,644 Eve of

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COTTAGE CLUB RIDES

### Guinness Time Heads "C" Class Runners

**THE LUCKIEST OWNER** was the stable raced under the name of "H. Leigh" (son of Mr. Li Po-chun) with Guinness Time, heading the list of "C" class runners with a total of \$2,450 with the inclusion of the Royal Navy Cup.

I append below a list of stake earners:

Aven	\$1,300
Boat Claw	1,250
Blue Diamond	700
Conquering Time	300
Expansion Time	550
For All Time	250
Galaxy	300
Humdrum Eve	850
Hyndford Bridge	
Jennifer	1,350
Jober	1,950
Just In Time	600
King Kong	1,950
Lancashire Lass	650
Lilliber	550
Peaceful View	1,000
Potential	250
Red Feather	800
Rob Roy	
Rose Emily	800
Rose Jane	200
King Kong, the winner of the Governor's Cup and other events, is now the only sub-griffin left in the "B" section, and the bay heads the list with \$1,950 to his credit. For an outlay of only \$450 the owner has won in all \$7,750, and King Kong's racing career is not yet over.	

Mr. Eu Tong-sen with a string of four ponies made an aggregate of \$1,250, while Mrs. Pearce with her Hyndford Bridge scored blank.

Harvest collected \$2,277 and Eve of Heaven made \$750. It is learned on good authority that Desert Chief will not be donning Mr. Eu Tong-sen's colours any more, for he has found a new home in Mr. Bob Charles' riding school where Herod is also stabled.

#### DELIGHTFUL COME-BACK

HOWEVER I was delighted to see the comeback of two old timers in Gladulator and Soldier of Britain. The former after a sequence of 17 puttings scored a "notable" success ridden by a novice Mr. Wood in the Lead Mine Handicap over the Derby course.

Soldier of Britain's last win in the Auld Reekie Handicap on December 4, 1937. He had 15 and 11 starts in 1938 and 1939 respectively without presenting his card to the judges. This year the soldier boy weighed out three times, and it was, therefore, after the 1939 attempt that Soldier of Britain led the procession in the Green Island Handicap (third section) over a trip from the 1½ mile post (about half mile 170 yards). There was no fluke in the success for he was made a hot favourite and paid \$15.10 for a win. Was the handicap right?

#### TOO MUCH RACING

ALTHOUGH Markman was not entitled for a few races at the annual and extra meetings, the champion sub-griffin of last year's batch failed to appear before the Clerk of the scales.

His last public performance was in the Sub-Griffins St. Leger run on November 4, when he finished in the rock.

I do not profess to be a

#### Major Baseball

### Cincinnati Reds Again Defeated

NEW YORK, June 20 (UP)—Cincinnati Reds, leaders of the National Baseball League were again defeated to-day, losing to the Philadelphia Phillies 4-3. The neck-and-neck race between the Detroit Tigers and the Boston Red Sox in the American circuit continues with their positions unchanged, both teams being defeated to-day.

Complete scores were:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	3	6	1
Battery: Thompson, Beggs, Lombardi, Bernberger	1	1	0
Pittsburgh	4	11	0
Battery: Higbe, Atwood, Warren	1	0	0
Chicago	3	8	0
Battery: French, Root, Olson, Todd	0	7	0
New York	0	7	0
Battery: Schumacher, Moton, Danbury	1	0	0

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia	0	12	1
Battery: Dean, Heusser, Hayes	4	0	2
Baltimore	7	15	0
Battery: Feltz, Cuffman, Erickson, Berres, Masl	7	15	0
Pittsburgh	0	12	1
Battery: Bullock, Brown, Lopez	7	15	0
Boston	0	12	1
Battery: Feltz, Cuffman, Erickson	7	15	0

#### WORLD SERIES

New York	0	8	2
Battery: Pearson, Dickey	1	11	0
Chicago	1	11	0
Battery: Rigby, Tracy	1	11	0
Washington	1	4	4
Battery: Masterson, Montague, Early	12	10	1
Cleveland	1	4	4
Battery: Feller, Hemsky	12	10	1

#### TOO MUCH RACING

trainers, but the possibility of donning the silk looks remote at the resumption. The sub made an aggregate of \$6,650 for the owner during 1939, but the boy had too much racing.

#### NOTHING TO DO

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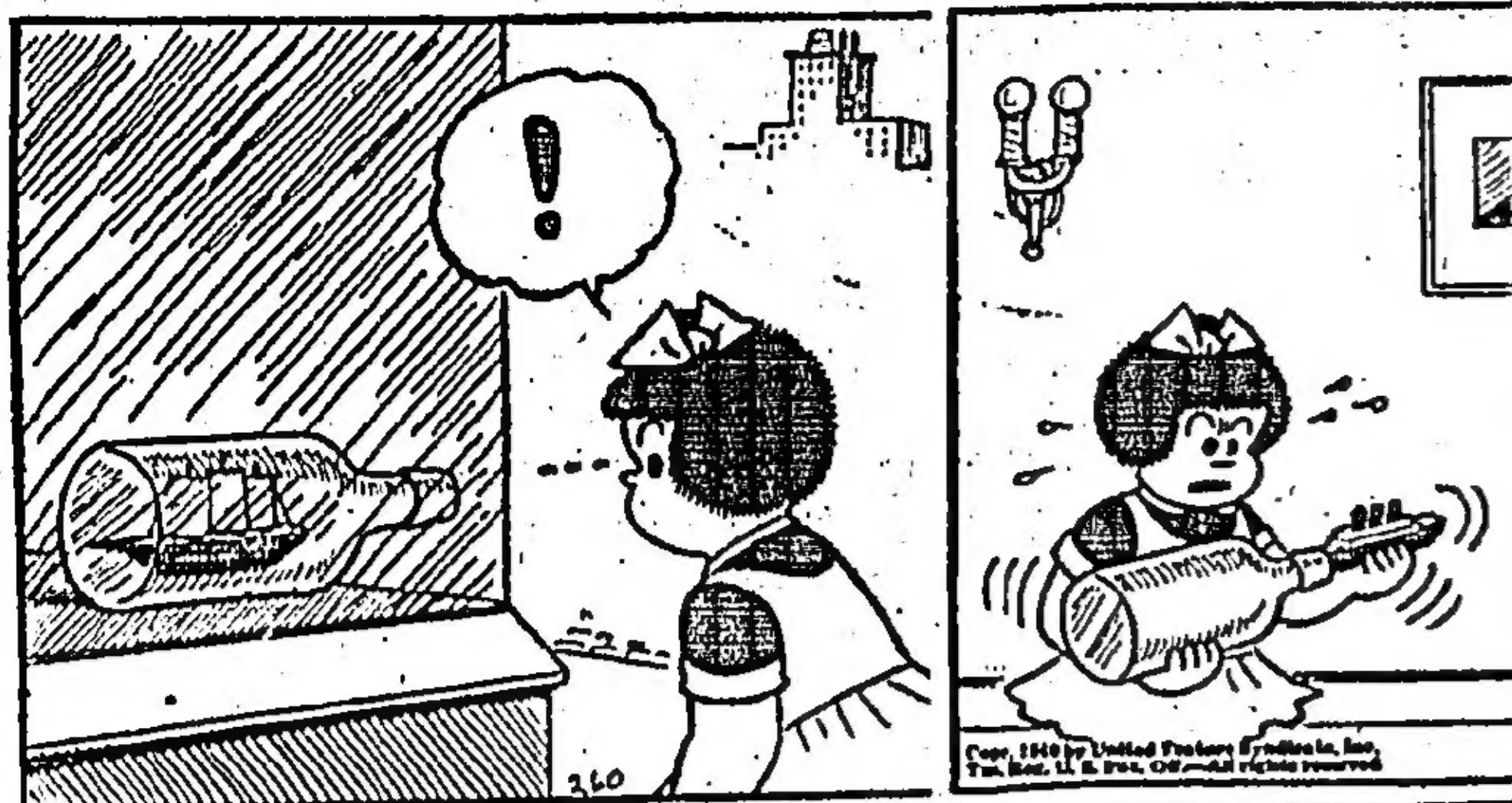
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NANCY



By Ernie Bushmiller

## Student & Girl Friend Missing, Feared Dead CANOE FOUND ON ROCKS EMPTY

A YOUNG STUDENT and a girl friend are feared to have been drowned in a canoe accident at Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.

It is thought that another young man, and possibly a child, may have been with them when they vanished.

The missing couple are William Macfarlane, 23-year-old son of the Rev. A. J. Marfarlane, of Middle Lambrook, Somerset, and Dorothy Burns, aged 26, of Shaftesbury

Road, Weston-super-Mare.

They were last seen on the sands with a home-made canoe. Miss Burns's brother reported that she had not returned home.

Shortly afterwards a beach inspector reported the finding of a canoe and paddles on a ledge of rock at Brean Down, a rocky promontory south of Weston Bay.

### Seen By Maid

No bodies have been found.

Macfarlane, who had been staying at a Weston hotel since Friday, is believed to have been collecting information for a book about the district.

Miss Burns is well known locally as an amateur-actress.

The man who it is thought may also have gone out in the canoe was seen on the beach with them by a maid from the hotel where Macfarlane was staying.

"In my opinion," he said, "that is a grossly improper thing for plaintiffs to do and it is still more improper thing for the workman's employers to give that information."

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## Firm Wrote To Debtor's Employers

### So Judge Strikes Out Summons

A DRAPERY firm which wrote to a man's employers asking about his earnings was strongly criticised by Judge G. Kirkhouse Jenkins at Chippingham County Court recently.

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## King And Queen At Theatre

LONDON.—The King and Queen visited a London theatre recently for the second time since the war began.

They were accompanied by the Princess Royal, the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, and Commander Harold Campbell. They saw "Shepherd's Pie" at the Princess Theatre.

Although the King asked that the leader of the orchestra should not play the National Anthem, the audience rose and sang it spontaneously.

The musical director, Mr. John Borelli, was bewildered for a second.

He thought of the King's request and listened to the audience singing "God Save the King" and then decided to join in.

## Soldiers Damaged School

### Councillor Alleges

COMPLAINTS that after the military authorities had ended their occupation of Frith Manor School, Mill Hill, Middlesex, damage amounting to £1,000 was discovered.

A pledge to co-operate with the Lord Chamberlain and licensing authorities in immediate steps to this end was given by representatives of stage and other interests at a conference at St. James's Palace recently.

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## Men of 60 Are Volunteers

## THEY WORK BEHIND THE B.E.F. LINES

By PHILIP JORDAN

FRANCE.

ANTI-FASCISTS from every European country—neutral and otherwise—where tyranny now reigns have come forward in hundreds to offer their services to the British cause; and these services have been accepted.

In the Labour Corps here you find large bodies of men to whom the doctrines of their own Governments are so abhorrent that they prefer the hard work and dullness of an Auxiliary Military Pioneer Corps to a life of comparative ease in the countries which gave them birth.

### Refugees

Germans, Czechs, Austrians, Spaniards and Italians form the majority of these able-bodied refugees; and they assist a tremendous—but still far from adequate—number of British volunteers to perform their useful, but unspectacular, work.

These British volunteers—some of whom quite untruthfully told the recruiting officer that they were not yet 60 years of age—are the unskilled workers of the B.E.F.; but if it were not for their energy and hard work the B.E.F. would find it impossible to do its job properly.

They make and mend roads; put up colonies of huts; make drains; unload ships; construct docks and do a thousand other jobs as well.

### To Do Their Bit

Most of them are here because they "want to do their bit." Others have supplementary reasons.

One of the men here joined up because he wanted to be near his son, who is a private in one of the county regiments. Another came out because his four younger brothers are in the Army and he did not see why he should be left out of it.

At present the work of all these pioneer corps is being supplemented by local hired French civilian labour, but even so there is room for more men from home.

Besides these, labouring men do jobs of an unspectacular nature their names and works are not often heard of in Britain, but the truth is that they are just as indispensable in modern war as fighting men.

### One That Got Away

When Mrs. Kathleen Bishop, of Oxford Gardens, Denham, was fined 10s. at Beaconsfield (Bucks), for showing a light, she sold a small goldfish which she kept in the bath had jumped out and she was looking for it.

## LEAVING FOR THE NORWEGIAN FIASCO

Events have moved so swiftly during the last few weeks, that this picture taken of British troops leaving for Norway merely illustrates the beginning of a great fiasco. Norway has since capitulated and all British troops withdrawn. Here we see some of these very troops who only a few weeks ago embarked with the North-Western Expeditionary Force for King Haakon's land.

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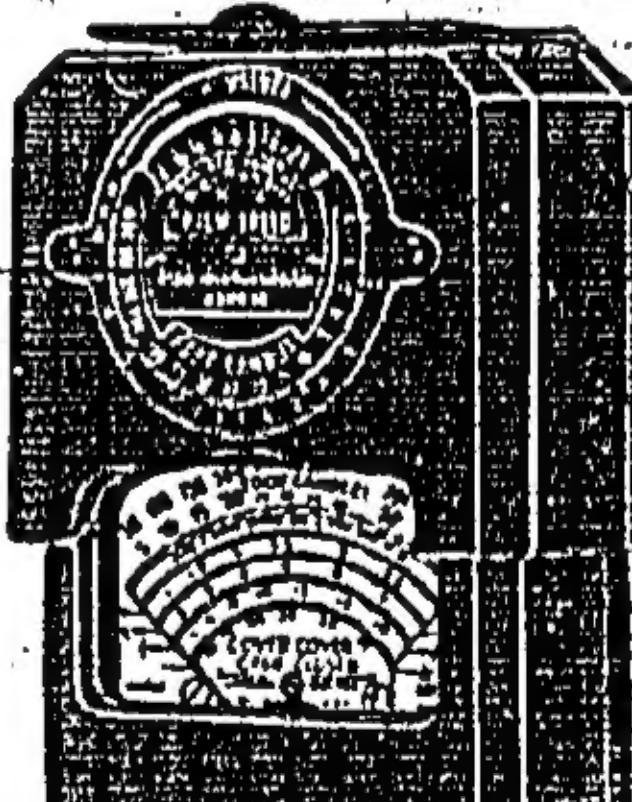
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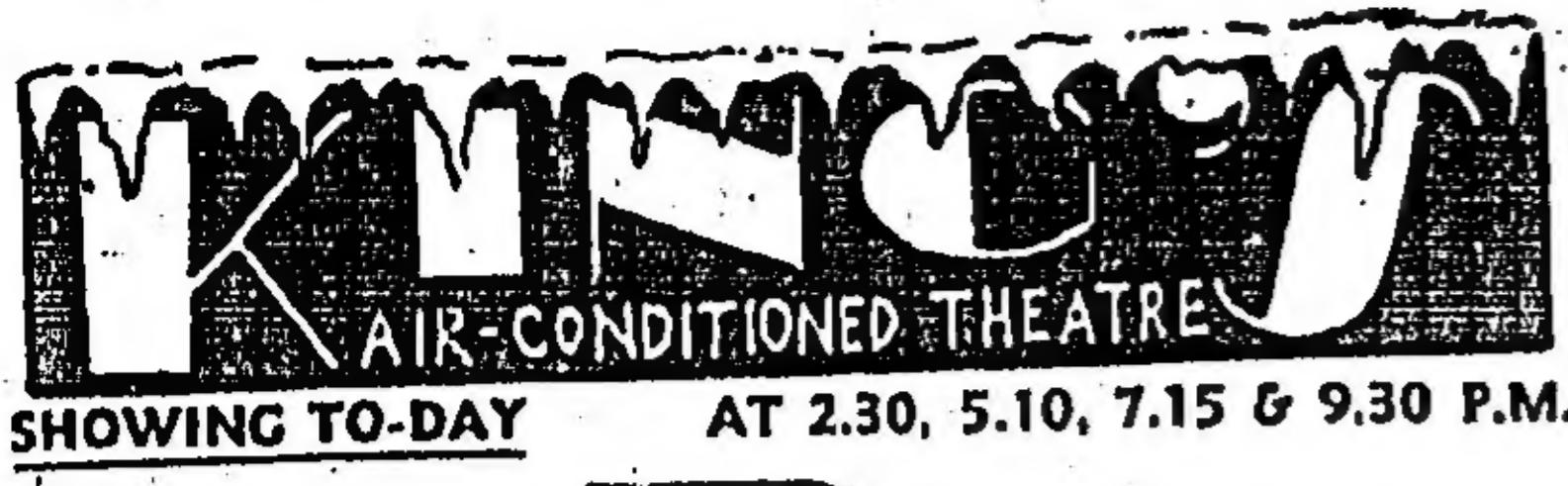
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## Red Cross Nurses Stick to Their Task Among Wounded Lying Under Hail of Bombs on Beach

By RONALD CAMP

SOUTH-EAST COAST, June 3. RED CROSS nurses who for days have defied the bombs and shells on the beach at Dunkirk and tended Allied casualties even while being machine-gunned, have refused to be evacuated until the last B.E.F. wounded are sent to safety. Some of the nurses have been killed, others wounded.

This story of the Red Cross women was told to me to-day by a wounded British soldier who landed in England at dawn. "I cannot describe what we feel about those girls," he said. "Out on that dreadful beach, with the sun pouring down on them, with German planes continually overhead and shells bursting all the time, they have worked without stopping for days past."

"If they have slept, they have done so on their feet. Dressed in their white uniforms, the women stand out among the exhausted and wounded men."

"ANGELS IS THE ONLY WORD."

"Attacked by German planes and even by tanks with machine-gun bullets whistling all round, I have seen them crawling into the open and dragging wounded men to shelter beneath sand dunes."

"I saw one party of them dressing wounded who were lying out in the open. A plane began bombing. They just lay down by their patients and continued bandaging. They have fetched water and food, helped wounded to reach the rescue boats, even wading in the water to assist the men."

"Angels is the only word you can use to describe them. I have seen some of them killed as they have gone about their work."

REFUSED TO GO BACK

"We have asked them to go back in the rescue ships, but they have refused. Each one has said, 'We shall go when we have finished this job—there's plenty of time, so don't worry about us'."

These nurses who have ignored the day and night shelling like veteran soldiers, giving invaluable aid to the Army doctors, who are working stripped to the waist in the heat of the sand and in casualty stations, in bomb craters and small tents.

One soldier described seeing a German bomb drop right in the centre of a 30-foot wide Red Cross tarpaulin. One group of French peasants, assisting the Red Cross, were helping wounded soldiers when a German tank appeared and shot them down.

A trawler skipper told me of the tricks of Germans who have robbed dead of their uniforms.

"One group of Germans," he said, "dressed in Allied uniforms, approached a crowd of Tommies on the quay. A few yards away they produced machine guns and began to fire. My youngest gunner was on deck at his gun and let them have it, every one of them."

Another skipper, who has just returned, told how 12 Germans, dressed in Allied uniforms, captured a small ship filled mostly with Allied wounded, all unarmed.

SAIORS WIPE OUT THE GANG

"They had hidden their automatic pistols," he said, "and when the ship was at sea they produced them, shot the captain, who fell from the bridge to the deck, and shot the signaller on the bridge. The wounded signaller dragged himself to the speaking tube and whispered to seven of the crew who were below deck. Armed Germans have taken the ship. Come up with revolvers."

"Then he collapsed. The British sailors below armed themselves, came on deck and attacked the Germans, who were all killed. The captain died soon after he reached port. But before he died he wrote a special report commanding his men for their bravery."

Small German torpedo motor-boats which attempted to harass rescue ships at the beginning have been dealt with by the Navy. The Navy's guns have also shattered scores of German tanks which have salled on to the beach.

And while the rearguard of British and French troops hold the enemy at bay until the evacuation is ended, the R.A.F. is helping the naval barrage by dropping thousands of bombs.

An official said that every ship which has come to the beach has taken immense supplies of food and water. Within eight hours of the order being given to send supplies to the beach some days ago, enough food, water, cigarettes and chocolates for 35,000 men was on its way from one South Coast port.

Aeroplanes helped the provisioning of the rearguard by dropping water in petrol tins. Tens of thousands of tins of water have been landed on the beach.

Certain Scottish troops, part of the rearguard still fighting, are reluctant to leave Dunkirk.

"They say they are having a grand party," one officer declared. "Their fighting fury is roused, and each night they form parties of 25 and go out hunting Germans. When they return they count their score."

A French officer, dying of wounds, was carried by a British officer from a ship to a dressing station at a South Coast port. Before he died he removed his revolver and cartridge belt and gave them to the young Englishman. His last words, in English, were: "Go to it."

From the South-East Coast last night the flashes of the guns bombarding Dunkirk could be seen.

## LATE NEWS

### French Government Rumours

LONDON, June 20 (UPI).—According to unofficial information reaching London the Petain Government has left Bordeaux.

It is even rumoured that the Government has left France with the intention of establishing an Administration on foreign soil.

M. Laval and M. Flanquin are said to have played a significant role behind the scenes during the crucial period culminating in the fall of the Reynaud Government and the request for an armistice.

Unofficial advices state that M. Laval paid a visit to Rome a few days before Mussolini declared war and also that he conferred with General Franco at Madrid.

### BERLIN REPORT

BERLIN, June 20 (Reuter).—An official news agency despatch report's the French Government is proceeding to Blackitz from Bordeaux.

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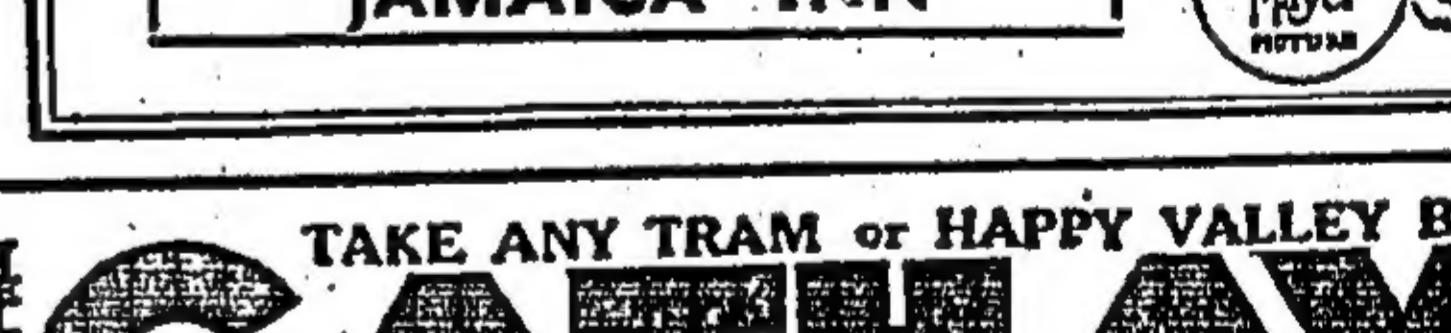
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**Petain Reported To Have Resigned**

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

**UNCONFIRMED** reports reaching New York from Madrid state that Marshal Petain has resigned the Premiership.

It is emphasised that the report should be treated with caution.

No definite information regarding Marshal Petain's successor is available, but M. Laval's name has been mentioned. M. Laval is alleged to be the leader of the pro-peace group.

The official Stefani News Agency in Rome claims that the armistice negotiations are now in progress at an unnamed place in southern Germany.

On the other hand, Berlin reports state that the negotiations are being held at Compiègne, in occupied France.

**Italian Reports**

A message from Rome states that the French Government has now proposed a separate armistice with Italy.

Rome-Rome has announced that the French Government has broadcast an order to the French Fleet, calling upon all units to proceed to the nearest French port and there await further orders. It is emphasised that this report is from an enemy source.

On the other hand, there is every indication, says a message from Toulon, that the French Navy will not acquiesce in any armistice, and reports indicate that it has already left continental ports in France for unknown destinations.

**Britain Wants League Preserved**

LONDON, June 20 (British Wires)—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated in answer to a question that the Secretary-General of the League of Nations was aware of the importance which the British Government attached to the preservation of the League Secretariat as a working organisation, so far as circumstances permitted.

Mr. Butler said he was confident M. Avenel was doing all in his power to achieve that end.

**Merchant Cruiser Sunk By U-Boat**

LONDON, June 20 (British Wires)—The Admiralty announced this evening that the armed merchant cruiser Andania, had been torpedoed by a U-boat and subsequently sank.

Two of the crew were injured.

Other casualties and the entire ship's company were landed at a British port.

**Spanish Press Becomes Anti-British**

MADRID, June 20 (Reuter).—The Spanish newspapers have now given up all pretence of being neutral and have launched a strong attack against England.

Many British residents are now keeping their luggage packed in case of eventualities.

The paper "Arriba" says to-day, "The Falange party is not only a political instrument for the Government of the people in peace but makes possible an enormous military potential in case of war."

**Coalition Cabinet For U.S.**

**President Roosevelt's Bombshell Decision**

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, June 20 (UP).—President Roosevelt has made the bombshell announcement that Republican leaders are to be invited to join his Democratic Cabinet.

a situation unique in American political history.

The President has nominated Colonel Frank Knox, the great U.S. publisher and aspirant to Presidential honours, as Secretary of the Navy, and

Mr. Henry Stimson, former Republican Secretary of State, as Secretary for War.

Colonel Knox was formerly an isolationist. Both he and Mr. Stimson are now uncompromising supporters of every possible

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, JUNE 20 (UP).—NAVAL QUARTERS BELIEVE THAT FRANCE WILL HAVE A FIGHTING CHANCE TO CONTINUE THE STRUGGLE IF THE REPORTS THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS FLED TO TUNISIA ARE CORRECT.

But the loss of man power and air power will make resistance very difficult.

Such a move would be of great importance because it would compel the Axis powers to withhold at least some forces intended to be used in the final drive against Britain, thus allowing England precious time to obtain badly needed war materials from abroad.

In addition it would keep alive much resistance in Africa which otherwise might cease.

**GOOD AND LOYAL FIGHTERS**

The French have many colonial troops who are good and loyal fighters.

One of the most important effects, if the reported move succeeds, would be the possible frustration of the Italian aim to cut the Mediterranean in two.

Tunisia is less than 100 miles from Sicily. If Mussolini obtained possession of the French Colony he would be able to effectively block the Mediterranean and at the same time successfully maintain Italian communications to Africa.

If the Allies hold Tunisia and command the sea with their superior fleets, Italian communications with Africa would be most uncertain.

If the French maintain an air force in Tunisia—and reports say many French planes have already flown to Africa—Italian cities and industrial centres will be in grave danger.

On the other hand Tunisia is greatly exposed to Italian attacks and might eventually become untenable.

The French have a small naval station at Tunis which, according to naval circles here, would not be able to handle large vessels. However, Britain has important bases nearby and these would serve the purpose almost as well.

French Government's Move

BORDEAUX, June 20 (UP).—Latest reports state that the French Government is considering a transfer to Barriat but no final decision will be made before the Council of Ministers receives the report from the French emissaries who are officially reported to have made contact with the German plenipotentiaries.

None of the reports suggested the time or the place of the meeting.

**On Way Back, Says Report**

Rome-Tidio states that the French plenipotentiaries have already left the designated meeting place and are on their way to Bordeaux.

**Plenipotentiaries Named**

The French Government has informed the German Government that its plenipotentiaries are General Huntziger, M. Leon Noël, Vice-Admiral Leucie and General Bergeret, of the Air Force, according to a German news agency.

"Because of the difficulties of communication through the Spanish and French Governments," adds the agency, "the communication did not reach the German Government until one o'clock this morning."

"It was transmitted to the Führer at four o'clock, whereupon the German High Command at once took the necessary steps for the reception of the French delegates."

**Judy's Demands**

BASILE, June 20 (Reuter).—One chief condition of peace must be the

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## A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO June 21, 1900.  
It appears that Britain doesn't rule the waves any longer. A telegram from London says that a French man-of-war ordered some British fishermen at St. George Bay to abandon their nets and land a body of marines to enforce compliance with the order. A British man-of-war was present in the bay but did nothing. The British patriotic howl must be changed now, and some meek and lowly Methodist hymn substituted.

The French Government are preparing a bill for limiting the workmen's day to ten hours.

### 25 YEARS AGO

June 21, 1915.  
A very strong passage in Mr. Bonar Law's speech was as follows: "Now realize so clearly the task before us that the nation is ready to accept the principle that the country has a right to demand that those who supply everyone—anyone—take what we have." (Cheers.) "I believe they are ready to accept that principle and to see it carried out where necessary. If it is carried out fairly to all classes and sections of the people alike." (Renewed cheers).

### 10 YEARS AGO

June 21, 1930.  
The three bus companies in Kowloon have received sanction from the War Office to increase fares from July 1. The increase will be a slight one compared with the existing rates, the new system being a charge by the mile, each route to be charged separately. Bus drivers will be required to pay ten cents for the first two sections, and five cents more for any of the subsequent sections, while on the first section a charge will be made with the payment of five cents for the first two sections or part thereof. The monthly tickets formerly 85 each will be increased to 97, while the students' tickets of \$2.50 will be raised to \$3.

### 5 YEARS AGO

June 21, 1935.  
The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, speaking in the Commons this evening, when the Dominions Office vote was taken, said that the Dominions Ministers had faced an entirely new situation in the relationship between the Mother Country and the Dominions. In short, each Dominion had absolute freedom to defend its own destiny.

On the question of defence, the Dominions agreed, without a solitary exception, agreed that in view of the present state of the service, and the efforts of the Dominions to set an example to the people of Britain, and in view of Imperial obligations, that the steps to repel the national defences already announced should be undertaken.

There is much to be said in favour of the representations being made to the Government by the Society for the Protection of Children's Hospitals in the Colony.

## One-Day Secret Session

LONDON, June 20 (Reuters)—Before the House of Commons went into secret session to-day, Mr. Clement R. Attlee, Lord Privy Seal, said that it would be undesirable to continue the debate to-morrow.

If, however, the members wanted another day, it would be possible to arrange it.

There will be a debate by the Ministry of Supply next Thursday.

Mr. Attlee said that if the House desired it part of that debate might be held in secret.

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## TRAWLER AND CREW LOST

LONDON, June 20 (Reuters)—An Admiralty communiqué states that H.M. trawler Jupiter, which was operating in northern Norwegian waters, is now overdue and must be considered lost.

The next-of-kin have been informed.

The crew are missing but it is possible that some of them may be prisoners of war.

## More Money For The War

COLOMBO, June 20 (Reuters)—The "Times of Ceylon" has sent a second sum of 100,000 rupees to London for the purchase of another fighter plane.

The first sum was sent only three days ago.

### Gold Coast's £500,000 Loan

LONDON, June 20 (Reuters)—The Gold Coast has offered the Government £500,000 as a loan, free of interest, for the duration of the war.

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Japan, Shanghai and Formosa ..... June 24.  
Canton ..... June 24.  
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Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service" San Francisco date, June 18 ..... June 25.  
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Shanghai ..... June 25.  
London and Straits ..... June 26.  
Japan and Manila ..... June 26.  
Java and Manila ..... June 26.  
Manila ..... June 26.  
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Sandakan ..... 7 p.m.  
Shanghai and Parcels only for Tientsin ..... 9 a.m.  
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Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France by the "Air France Airways Service."

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Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France by the "Pan American Airways Service."

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Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

Tourane and Saigon ..... 5.30 p.m.

Sunday, June 23.

Manila ..... 9.00 a.m.  
Amoy ..... 9.00 a.m.  
Shanghai ..... 9.00 a.m.

Monday, June 24.

Canton ..... 7.15 a.m.  
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa ..... 10.30 a.m.

Haliphong ..... Noon.  
Shanghai ..... 12.30 p.m.

Japan ..... 2.30 p.m.  
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom.

K. P. O.

Reg. ..... June 24, 2.45 p.m.  
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Straits (Parcels only) ..... 5.30 p.m.

Straits and Calcutta.

Parcels ..... June 24, 5 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 24, 7 p.m.

Canton ..... 7.00 p.m.

Fort Bayard, and Holloway ..... 12.30 p.m.

Parcels only for Tientsin ..... 12.30 p.m.

Haliphong ..... 3.00 p.m.

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# MAGAZINE PAGE

**Nobody** knows who gave the cry, where it came from; nobody will ever know. No newspaper gave it, no wireless announced it, but it was there . . . everywhere throughout Czechoslovakia. In the big banks, in the hotels, in the factories.

*Fight smiling. That was the cry!*

A slogan, clear as if it were cut in marble. Words which will live in history like the words of Luther, Nelson, or Washington. Words which are stronger than tanks.

The Germans were there, the destroyers of the rights of man! They had settled down in the heart of the trust Republic that ever was.

Over the Wenceslas Square, Prague, thundered the Prussian battalions on the march. The greedy hordes of Hitler stormed into the houses like panthers for booty. Rob, rob, rob!

TANK parade on Wenceslas Square. The crew in charge of the tanks are sitting like Tibetan Idols.

The crowd walks aimlessly around the tanks. The young fellows curiously inspect the engines, touch the armoured plates, the caterpillars. Laughs and jokes.

The soldiers do not understand one word; they are wet, tired, and bad-tempered. Pretty girls are flirting with them to divert their attention while the lads fumble with the tanks.

Signal to start. The motors begin to work. The tanks start, stop. Silence.

The crowd is laughing. The officers are cursing. The column comes to a standstill. Engineers appear. Confusion.

The crowd double up with laughter. Inspection. Result—There was water, milk, sugar, and even raw eggs in the petrol tanks.

Ever since, the Prague people have called the tanks Hitler's omlettes.

Bohemia is hilarious. Who has done it? How? The Gestapo investigates, cross-examines; hundreds are questioned. The same typical answer from smiling lips: *Ne rosumin*—"I do not understand."

THE Skoda works in Pilsen. The famous weapon forge of the country, moreover, one of the biggest machine factories of the world. A marvel of organisation and technical skill.

When Hitler seized Skoda, I saw legionaries cry like boys. The Hunz have Skoda, the sun is setting for us!

But the watchword lifted their hearts. Fight smiling! Do not cry—fight, smile.

It started in the steel...worst. There where the knowledge, the experience of the individual decide whether steel turns out as it should.

A year ago Switzerland had ordered 10 tanks from Skoda. Neither light nor heavy machine-guns fire was able to damage these tanks. Even light artillery was powerless against Skoda steel.

In April Germans offered further tanks to Switzerland. They referred to the good results of the recently delivered Skoda tanks, made concessions and obtained an order.

In July the new tanks were taken by German officers to the Swiss fortress of Thun.

A debacle. Even light machine-guns fire riddled them. Heavy gun fire caused a complete collapse.

"We have enough cheese in the country, we need not buy it from Germany," jeered the Swiss officers. The expression "Cheese Tanks" spread.

Himmler, Hitler's bloodhound, came racing to Pilsen. Hundreds were arrested, beaten, tortured.

Two thousand men were sent to the Rhineland to the Krupp factory in Essen. There they spilt everything that could be spoilt, for they did not understand the orders given them. They smiled innocently when the Prussians cursed. Ne rosumin.

NIGHT in the suburb. German patrol. A young girl walks slowly through a narrow lane.

She smiles coquettishly at the German sentry. Disappears into a block of houses. After a little while another girl appears, then another.

Upstairs a dozen young fellows and girls are sitting with drawn curtains. Everyone has before him a manuscript which he copies about twenty times during the night.

In the morning a hundred leaflets are ready. Each leaflet is copied all over the country by thousands of men and women. The number swells in geometrical proportion.

The "Ten Commandments" became famous. Instructions for the smiling fight against the oppressor.

A few days elapsed and every priest in every church of the country said at the end of his sermon the following words: "In these difficult times follow the Ten Commandments."



## HITLER'S SMILING ENEMY

Every man, every woman, every child, applied sabotage. By day and night, with every thought, every feeling, And they all smile when they speak to the enemy.

Nobody commands, nobody leads, and the effect on the enemy is terrible. There are no leaders to be seized! And a million people cannot be arrested.

The smiling fight continues along the whole line, it is the most spectacular conspiracy of an entire nation, a sight of stirring greatness.

FILE entire nation of the Czechs with devotion of Bohumil Alpamy. A national hero. He was an engine driver.

He was superintending a train from Brno into the Rhine land. The train has a precious load. In each of the fifty wagons there is a German official of the Gestapo. And on the engine one of the Black Guard.

Eight hundred machine guns, eight hundred of the world-famous Bren guns, the best in the world, stolen from the factory in Brno, on their way to Germany.

The rain rolls northward. In the Moravian Alpine Bohemian Alpine Bohemian Alpine gally smokes his short pipe, shows the marks of the

Black Guard the flourishing landscape, jokes and smiles.

Two short whistles. The fireman in the tender lifts his shovel.

With a split scull the Black Guard falls heavily.

"Jump off," shouts the engineer to the fireman. He puts the brakes on. The fireman jumps, falls, gets up, disappears in the wood. Full steam ahead!

The next curve. A cracking, a splintering. Eight hundred Bren guns torn away from the arch enemy.

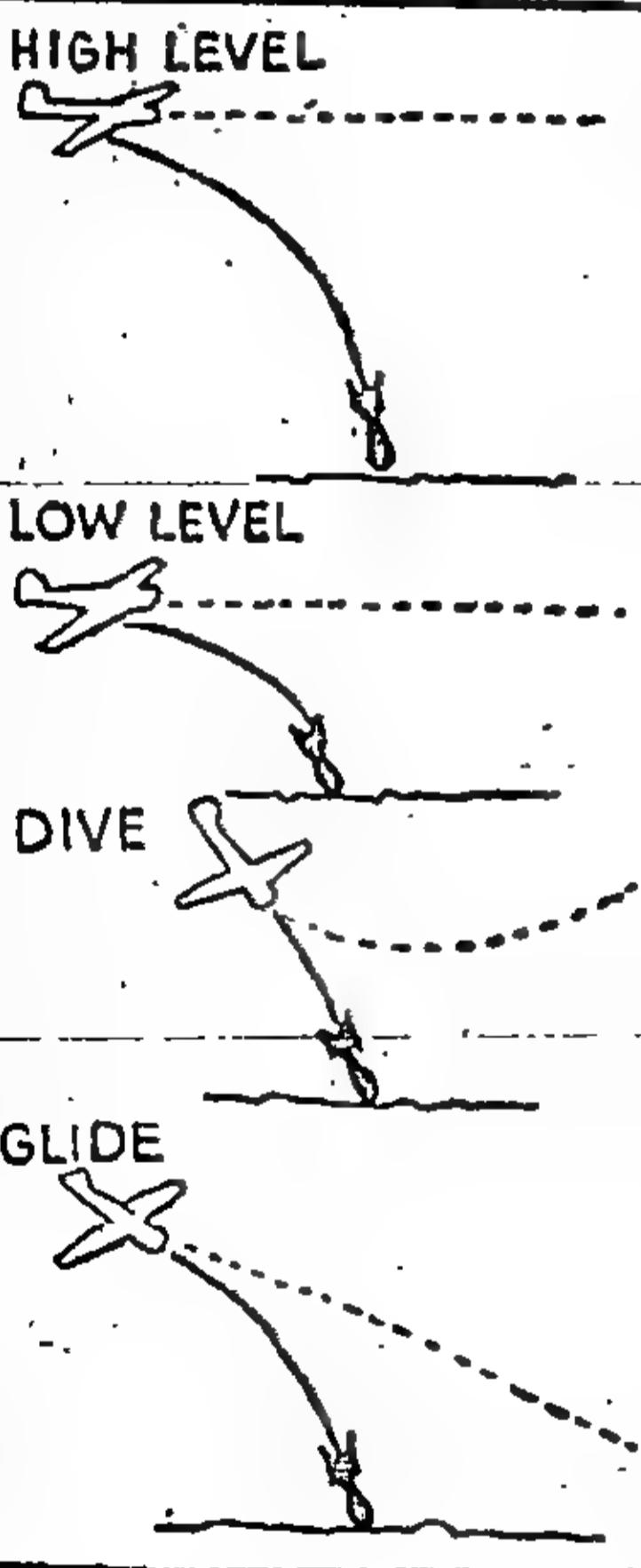
Alpamy lies on his bier. He smiles in death like a victorious hero.

Innumerable Alpamys live in Czechoslovakia. In every heart a glowing love for the fatherland, in every soul a burning hatred against the enemy.

Hearts of steel, smiling lips. Woe to Hitler, when they open to utter the battle cry.

## METHODS OF BOMBING

What the Air Ministry's technical bombing terms mean



### HIGH-LEVEL BOMBING

The safest but most highly skilled and perhaps least accurate form of bombing employed by raiders. The aircraft approach the target at a great height, make rapid calculations involving speed, wind, temperature, etc., before carefully aiming their bombs.

If they score a direct hit (and it is not easy) the tremendous penetrative power of a heavy bomb dropped from height makes it certain that the destruction will be great. On the other hand, the pilot has to drop his bombs  $\frac{1}{2}$  miles away when flying at, say, 10,000 ft. and at this height a simple miscalculation of wind strength is enough to deflect the bombs 70 or 80 feet.

Under ideal conditions the bomb almer would like a clear, straight run in of 5 or 6 miles across his target to ensure anything like accuracy. In practice, gunfire and fighters confuse his aim and make it as difficult as possible for him to sight his target.

### LOW-LEVEL BOMBING

Very dangerous for the aircraft because they are open to pom-pom, small arms and other fire from the ground as well as running a risk of meeting obstructions such as balloon barrages. Nevertheless, it is an accurate method of bombing which can be very telling if the pilots are determined and retain their nerve. Heaviest calibre bombs are not usually suitable for such attacks owing to the danger of blast damaging the aircraft above.

### DIVE BOMBING

The most terrifying form of bombing, but not necessarily the most destructive. The bombers are open to the same and even greater risk than in low-level bombing, but owing to the fact that they dive and aim their aircraft at the target they can usually ensure greater accuracy. Moreover, the bombs fall at an angle which may enable them to cause more superficial damage above ground.

### GLIDE BOMBING

The bombers come in at a great height, then switch off their engines to avoid detection and glide towards the target. Essentially a form of high-level bombing except, of course, that the aircraft are losing height all the time.

As between day and night bombing it must be understood that there is a world of difference. Except on a bright night, under a full moon, where shadows are not confusing, it is never so simple to pick out a target by night as by day. Certain objectives, such as bridges, harbours, plating railway

### FUNNY SIDE UP

By Abner Dean



"I want a very tough steak—I'm mad at my husband!"

## LOWLANDS AND GESTAPO RULE

JEWISH life under the Nazis in Holland and Belgium proceeds according to the well known pattern worked out in Poland Denmark and Norway.

From official reports of the Nazi-controlled radio in Amsterdam and Brussels, and from information

obtained from refugees it appears that the procedure of dealing with the Jews in the Low Countries is somewhat as follows:

Jews who had emigrated from Poland to Holland and Belgium are being sent back to Poland into the so-called Lublin Reservation. Jewish refugees from Germany are being arrested, detained in the local prisons for several days to ascertain the whereabouts of their fortunes, and then sent back to Germany. The native Jewish populations of Holland and Belgium are treated in very much the same way as the Danish and Norwegian Jews, that is, with greater severity than the rest of the population and with a marked tendency to introduce the anti-Jewish discriminatory regulations prevailing in the Reich.

At the same time, the process of stripping the Jews of all valuables, foodstuffs and stocks of raw materials is proceeding in a more ruthless manner even than in Poland. All day long one sees German military trucks in front of Jewish shops and private houses, whether the occupiers are there or not, removing everything that is of value, including furniture, kitchen utensils, linen, clothing and foodstuffs for despatch to Germany.

Following the method introduced in Poland, the Nazi authorities of Belgium and Holland have ordered the Jewish communities to provide a certain number of Jews for forced labour, to clear away the debris of the bombed cities. The Leader of the Nazi Labour Front, in a speech at Nuremberg, announced that 150,000 Jews from Poland, who are now doing forced labour in Germany will be sent on to Holland and Belgium to "make good the destruction which Jewish capitalists have wrought in Holland and in Belgium by bringing them into the war".

In the occupied territories of Holland and Belgium, the Nazis have issued appeals to the population to co-operate with the Germans. Among the promises made in these appeals figures the phrase "Hitler will solve the Jewish problem in Europe after winning the war". The appeal indicates the manner in which this "solution" will be effected, namely: Jews will be deported from Europe to the various French and British Colonies in Africa, "to make room for Aryans".

The Jewish question is a world problem, one appeal continued, "but the big nations have hitherto done nothing to solve it; therefore the Führer promises to undertake the job."

A graphic illustration of the Jewish scene under the Nazis is supplied by the official Nazi Radio in Brussels which announced that the German Military Command had ordered the execution of fourteen Belgian Nazis and four German soldiers for looting Jewish homes. The executions were announced in the streets of Brussels to stop the private looting of Jewish houses. It is for the Nazi State to loot the Jews, not private individuals.

In Brussels, the American Consulate has opened its doors for the registration of Jews wishing to emigrate to America. The Consulate is besieged by Jews whose only hope is in escape from Nazi tyranny. The staff is obliged to work seven days a week to keep pace with the applications.

FURTHER particulars of the fate of Jewish refugees who fled from Belgium to France show that approximately 100 Jews were killed in the bombardment of Rotterdam, 31 in Brussels, 20 in Antwerp and similar numbers in Liege and other Belgian towns.

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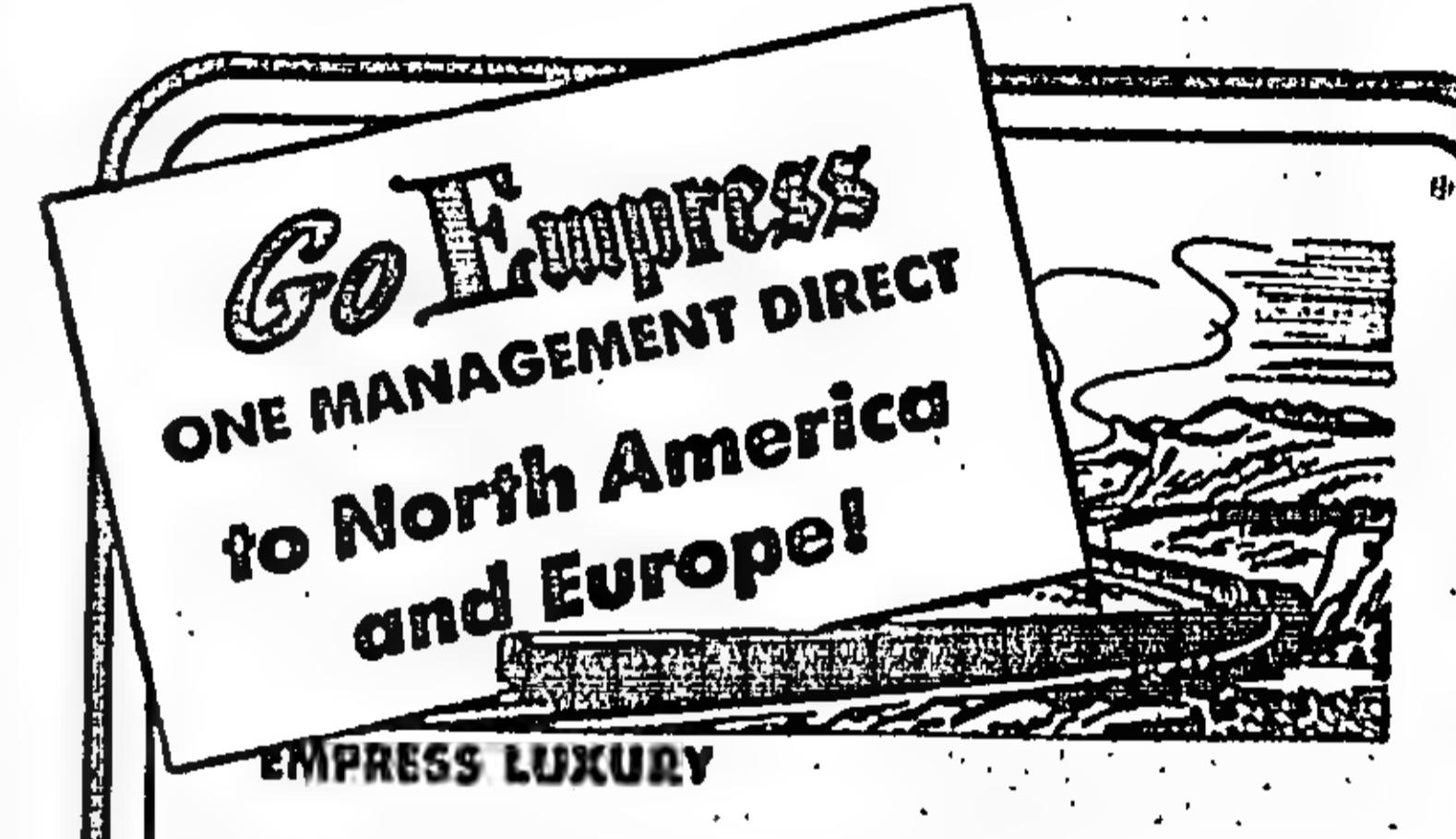
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#### DEATH

OSWALD.—On Thursday, June 20, 1940, at Gourock, Scotland, William Robert Oswald, late of Talook Dockyard, beloved husband of Margaret Oswald.

### The Hongkong Telegraph

Friday, June 21, 1940.  
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#### Employment in Britain

There is much uneasiness in Britain and amazement elsewhere that in spite of all the calls of the war there still remain several thousands of persons out of employment. The French are frankly mystified—they have not been able to get enough labour. What is the meaning of this surplus of labour in Britain after nine months of war when man-power is such an essential part of the nation's war potential?

The answer is simple. The difference between Britain on the one hand and France and Germany on the other is that in Britain there was no military conscription before last June and consequently there were no millions of trained men to be instantly mobilized.

Consider what happened. First, hundreds of thousands of persons were deprived of work by the mere dislocation caused by the partial evacuation of vulnerable cities and the shutting down of entertainment industries. More than 200,000 people in the building industries alone became unemployed by the orders to stop building construction. The introduction of gasoline rationing deprived of their occupation scores of thousands of men engaged in automotive services. The Government's exhortations to the public to reduce consumption of goods led to less buying and less manufacture.

To set against this there has been the absorption of men into the Army and the other fighting services, and the employment of hundreds of thousands of additional men in the war supply industries.

These two factors were enough to reduce unemployment, but not enough at once to abolish it. If the British had instantly called up the 5,000,000 men who will ultimately be required for service there would have been the same shortage of labour as there is in the conscript countries now at war, and the same necessity to get certain men back from the Army to service in the factories. But to have done so before there was the means of training them or the equipment for arming them would have been folly.

In a month from now the transition period will be over. Some 2,500,000 persons from Great Britain alone will be in the fighting services, and others

# Foch Was Unrelenting Till Germany's Envoys Sued For An Armistice

Erzberger found his voice again to recite the message from President Wilson that Foch had "indicated the conditions of armistice."

"Do you wish for an armistice?" Foch demanded, and with one voice Erzberger and Oberndorff cried out, "Yes."

Defeat had then to learn that choice of the moment for beginning war does not confer the power to decide when war shall be ended. Negotiations for an armistice went on for a month while the Allied forces, attacking without respite, drove the German armies back upon their own frontier.

The Siegfried line of those days was shattered. Further withdrawal meant the invasion of Germany. The German troops at the front could neither stand fast nor retreat in order. The Navy, called upon to fight, replied by mutiny. The Allies sought safety from their own people on neutral soil.

The terms of the Armistice drawn up by the Allies required unconditional surrender.

In the first hour of the morning of Nov. 7, 1918, Foch received a wireless message giving the names of German envoys who would meet him. Not for a moment was the vigour of the Allied offensive relaxed. From Lorraine to Ghent the guns still thundered and the infantry pressed on.

"In a death-dumb, autumn-dripping mist," the German delegates motored from Spa to the front.

#### WHEN ENVOYS ARRIVED

Only at the point to which they had been ordered was there no firing. The convoy of five motors brought Erzberger, Count Oberndorff, Gen. von Winterfeldt, then put the same plea in another way: "for technical reasons" the Allies should cease firing.

Foch would have none of it, and the Germans, retired. During the shelling. But they preferred to decode from Hindenbourg. It cannot have comforted them.

Towards eight o'clock on Nov. 10

At eleven o'clock that evening

It was learnt that the Government Foch lay down to sleep. There were accepted the conditions, and Foch only two nights in the war on which

hostilities will cease along the entire

front on Nov. 11 at 11 a.m." De-

### GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"Natchally, the chief difference between this \$7.98 ring and the \$4.79 one is that you got a better diamond!"

the Marne, the second this vigil before the Armistice.

At a quarter past two the Germans came to his coach and argued for nearly three hours. Then they signed, and the order went forth that hostilities will cease along the entire front on Nov. 11 at 11 a.m." De-

liverance had been achieved.

times I wish something exciting would happen. At times I find this life rather dull, but then I realize how lucky I am to have a husband, home and baby."

QUESTION 4: Was your wife happy in her parents' home?

Typical answer: "Not entirely." Often the girl had been robbed of normal chances of social life by a dominating mother or a solitary job.

Marriage has made her matter; developed her from an object of interest to a position of importance.

QUESTION 5: Have there been any problems to cope with; for instance, do your children resent the presence of a young woman in the house?

Typical answer: "A good deal of unfriendly gossip at times."

One or two men replied that on the contrary their children were very pleased with the marriage.

QUESTION 6: Are you particularly noted as a "young old" man?

Typical answer: "No, I don't think so. But I have always preferred the society of people younger than myself. And I had a fear and horror of becoming like some old bachelors."

Most of the men are apparently unusually energetic men with many interests; for instance a man of eighty-three who says his hobby is buying and selling as a general dealer, and his recreation is going to chapel.

QUESTION 7: Would you like your wife to marry again after you're gone?

Half answered yes, the other half that their wives had no desire to remarry.

QUESTION 8: Were your friends and/or your wife's friends opposed to your marriage?

Typical answer: "Yes, many of them were; but most of them now realize that they were mistaken. We had to face great difficulties at first."

But not all families were opposed. One man answered: "My family were present. My eldest son gave my wife away and she had two girl friends as bridesmaids."

Generally speaking, however, there was plenty of opposition.

WELL, those are the results of the questionnaire. The fact seems to emerge that such marriages are no less successful than other marriages.

THESE cases varied from the extreme of a man of eighty-three who married a woman of thirty-four, to a man of fifty-six who married a girl of seventeen.

I wrote to these thirty couples asking them to answer twenty-five questions.

Before reporting what they have to say let us just briefly recall what other people have to say.

Typical answer: "A certain basic similarity of many of our views and tastes combined with a fair number of superficial differences due to age and education. Enough differences to prevent life becoming dull."

Several women said "The coming of my baby made our marriage a success."

Interesting point was that every couple said they had the same interests and hobbies.

QUESTION 3: Do you ever find that your wife likes more exciting relaxations than you?

Typical answer by wife: "Some-

## DEEDS OF HEROISM

Sergeant-Major Wins The M.C.

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Inspiring stories of personal heroism by members of the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment, similar to those already announced for other regiments, appear in a further list of immediate awards by the commander-in-chief of the B.E.F.

The D.S.O. is awarded to Major Edward Frederick Bolton who, cut off by tanks on both flanks, withdrew his battalion intact across the Somme.

### Wonderful Exploits

The Military Cross is awarded to Captain Richard Lionel Moore who, in the retreat from Bellencourt, got all his men across the river though many were non-swimmers, and himself swam the river three times to help the wounded across.

Similarly gallant exploits have earned Military Crosses for Acting Captain David Christopher Baynes, Lieutenant Robert Station Brake, Second Lieutenant Maurice Edgar McWilliam and Sergeant Major A. Manners.

Military Medals are awarded to Sergeant G. Banfill, Sergeant A. G. Trotter, Private B. T. Scott and Private J. Plews.

## Week-End Of Rain Likely

Year's Total 20 Ins. Above Normal

Prospects of a dry week-end are very poor indeed. Though it has not been raining heavily, it has been coming down steadily since yesterday evening and is likely to continue for some time.

The forecast, announced by the Royal Observatory this morning, is "South and south-west winds: moderate to fresh; cloudy; rain."

During the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day, rainfall totalled 1.41 inches. The wettest period was between 8.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. to-day when .65 of an inch of rain was registered.

The total rainfall since January 1 is now 53.53 inches as compared with an average of 33.63 inches.

## 9-YEAR-OLD BOY DROWNED

Bathing Fatality At Causeway Bay

Kwok Yi, aged nine, of Illumination Terrace, succumbed to asphyxiation by drowning yesterday while bathing with his uncle Kwok Ying, in a stream near the Fu Pau Mansion, Causeway Bay.

Kwok Yi was on the shoulders of his uncle, and "bathing with another friend" when he accidentally fell into water out of his uncle's reach. As Kwok Ying was unable to swim, it was some minutes before Kwok Yi was rescued, but by that time he was unconscious. Artificial respiration proved unavailing and he died shortly after.

## New Committee For Artists' Guild

At a meeting of the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild the following officers were elected to keep the Guild in being at this difficult time and carry on its work as far as possible.

President: Mrs. Alfred N. Macfadyen.

Vice-President: Mr. Luis Chan.

Hon. Organising Secretary: Mr. K. K. Liue, B. A. Canlab, 23, Kent Road, Kowloon Tong.

Hon. Assistant Secretary: Mr. Sayer.

Hon. Treasurer: Mr. Alfred N. Macfadyen.

The membership subscription of the Guild was fixed at \$2 per annum (payable annually on July 1).

Information on studios, provision of models and art instructions, etc. can be had on application to Mr. K. K. Liue or Mr. Luis Chan, 51 Gloucester Road.

Mr. Johnson Lee, who is shortly leaving for Singapore, Java etc., will represent the Guild abroad. He hopes to arrange with the Hon. Organising Secretary to show and sell the work of members.

Mr. T. Hurant represents the Guild in Shanghai.

## FOUL PLAY IS SUSPECTED

Foul play is suspected in the discovery of the body of an old Chinese woman, found floating near Holt's Wharf yesterday.

The woman, who was between 65 and 70 years of age, was apparently the victim of an attack, as she had a fresh wound at the top of her head.

She was dressed in a plain cotton jacket, was toothless and bald. The Police are making the usual inquiries.

## India's War Capacity

### Desire For Complete Development

LONDON, June 20 (British Wireless).—Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary for India, gave an assurance in the House of Commons this afternoon that the Government of India were no less anxious than he himself to develop India's war capacity to the full.

He referred to the statement broadcast by the Commander-in-Chief in India at the end of May in which the latter gave details of the measures being taken by the Government of India to raise and equip forces to India's maximum capacity, and also to expand her industrial and productive output to provide raw materials and necessities for use both in India and overseas.

**Development Conditioned**

The Secretary for India added: "It must be remembered that in India, as elsewhere, the development of resources in manpower is conditioned by the supply of equipment. With a view to making the best use of those resources, the Government of India and I are exploring every method of expediting the supply both of equipment and the means of producing it, and are pressing forward with our efforts to the utmost extent that is possible without hindering the supply of essential equipment required for immediate use elsewhere in the present emergency."

## FRENCH CONTINUE FIGHT

### FROM PAGE ONE

armies entrapped in Lorraine. They are being constantly attacked by the Germans from the north, east and west, but are succeeding in maintaining their formation as they fight their way through the Nazis towards the Mediterranean.

The armies which supported the Maginot Line are now attempting to fight their way through the enemy lines in both Alsace and Lorraine.

The Germans claim that they now occupy all of France to the Loire, Allier and Rhone rivers as far as the heights of Lyon.

## R.A.F. THANKS INDUSTRY

LONDON, June 20 (British Wireless).—Air Chief Marshal Sir Cyril Newall, Chief of Air Staff, has issued the following message:

"On behalf of the R.A.F. I desire to express the sincere gratitude of all ranks to the aircraft industry for the magnificent response to the additional calls upon the industry made in the past three weeks."

"In particular, the R.A.F. wishes to offer its thanks to the great body of men and women who, by working long hours at high pressure, have made it possible to achieve the outstanding contribution to our air effort."

## CAUSES OF DEFEAT

Bordeaux, June 20. "Too many children, too few arms, too few Allies—there is the cause of our defeat," said Marshal Petain, Premier, in a broadcast to-day.

"French people, I have asked the enemy to conclude hostilities. The Government yesterday appointed plenipotentiaries to receive their conditions. I took the decision with the stout heart of a soldier because the military situation imposed it."

"We had hoped to resist on the Somme-Alsace line. General Weygand had regrouped our forces and his name alone, presaged victory. The line yielded, however, under intense pressure."

"The request for an armistice had been inevitable since June 13."

Marshal Petain proceeded to give reasons for it, saying: "On May 1, 1917, we still had 3,280,000 men under arms, despite three years of murderous fighting; on the eve of the present battle we had half a million fewer. In May 1918, we had 85 British divisions; in May, 1940, we had only 10. In 1918 we had with us 60 Italian and 42 American divisions."

"The inferiority of our material was even greater than of our effectiveness. French aviation had fought at odds of six to one."

Marshal Petain added that the French people did not deny the blow they had suffered.

"All the people have known ups and downs," he said. "It is by the way they react that they show themselves to be weak or great. We will learn a lesson from the battle which has been lost."

"Since the victory of 1918 the spirit of pleasure has prevailed over the spirit of sacrifice; the people have demanded more than they have given; they have wanted to spare themselves effort. To-day misfortunes have come. I was with you in the glorious days. As head of the Government I shall remain with you in the dark days. Stand by me. The fight still goes on. It is for France, the soul of her soil."

## COALITION CABINET FOR U.S.

### FROM PAGE ONE

form of U.S. aid short of war for the Allies.

Mr. Charles Edison has resigned the Secretoryship of the Navy to contest the gubernatorial elections in New Jersey. Mr. Henry Woodring, the present Secretary for War, has also resigned.

A Coalition Cabinet of Democrats and Republicans is now envisaged.

### No Third Term?

It is believed by Mr. Alfred Lanigan, the Republican candidate for the presidency, that President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for a third term.

News of the appointments came as a bombshell at the Republican Convention at Philadelphia. Nevertheless, Republican leaders uniformly congratulate President Roosevelt on choosing two good men.

Mr. London, who had earlier refused to enter a Coalition Government, said: "I hope Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson have not been misled. But the country is to be congratulated that President Roosevelt has taken action to repair two weak vital positions in our national defence."

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., President Roosevelt's Republican cousin, urges the two Republicans not to accept office with the Democrats.

### Washington Excited

WASHINGTON, June 20 (Reuter).—The nomination of Colonel Frank Knox and Mr. Henry Stimson for Cabinet seats caught Washington without warning and has provoked excited comment.

Coming only four days before the Republican National Convention for the nomination of a presidential candidate, the effect is doubly startling, and Congress burbles with talk on its bearing on presidential politics.

The immediate Congressional reaction appears to be unfavourable. A Senator, who was one of the leading candidates for the Republican nomination, said: "I see no reason for a Coalition Cabinet and I do not regard this as a Coalition."

### Is It A Prud'ho?

Senator Clark expressed the opinion that appointments were a prelude to put the United States into war.

Senator Wheeler said he believed that Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson would be glad to see America go to the aid of the Allies to the extent of declining war.

Both Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson have been staunch defenders of President Roosevelt's foreign policy.

### No Coalition

Mr. Herbert Hoover, formerly President, stated that Mr. Stimson and Colonel Knox were entering the Cabinet "to give personal advice and not to represent the Republican Party."

Mr. Hoover added that there was no question of a Coalition being involved.

### Speaks For Itself

PHILADELPHIA, June 20 (Reuter).—Mr. Henry Stimson and Colonel Frank Knox now "owe allegiance to the President and hereafter will speak and act in that capacity," declared Mr. John Hamilton, the Republican-National Chairman.

He added that the desire of both Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson "for American intervention in European affairs is well known that their appointment speaks for itself."

### SITUATION STILL OBSCURE

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fulfillment of the Italian colonial claims, declares Signor Guida writing in the "Gloriosa D'Italia."

The new peace must be, he stated, "more just than Versailles."

He also prepares the Italian public for America becoming Britain's ally.

### Want Fight Continued

CAIRO, June 20 (Reuter).—The French colony has sent a telegram to M. Lebrun and General Weygand urging France to continue the struggle.

They offer to place the entire services and property of the colony at the disposal of France.

### French Government Rumours

LONDON, June 20 (UP).—According to unofficial information reaching London the Petain Government has left Bordeaux.

It is often rumoured that the Government has left France with the intention of establishing an Administration on foreign soil.

M. Laval and M. Flondin are said to have played a significant role behind the scenes during the crucial period culminating in the fall of the Reynaud Government and the quest for an armistice.

Unofficial advices state that M. Laval paid a visit to Rome a few days before Mussolini declared war and also that he conferred with General Franco at Madrid.

### Berlin Report

BERLIN, June 20 (Reuter).—An official news agency despatch report's the French Government's proceed to Blarritz from Bordeaux.

## FIRE SEQUEL: MAN DIES

The Kwong Sang Hong Chemical works, Wan Chai, scene of a big fire recently, claimed another victim last night when Kwong Sing, aged 35, died on his way to the Queen Mary Hospital, from severe burns.

Kwong Sing was carrying a big bottle of carbolic acid when it burst in his hands, causing severe burns to his body from which he succumbed to Queen Mary Hospital.

Another two cases of scalds were

## MORE BIG CHEQUES

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Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bryan .....

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## "Captain Foster's" Racing Review

# PERFORMANCES OF THE CHINA PONIES

Several Return From Retirement To Fill Gaps: Confusion Bay Outstanding

**OWING TO NON-DELIVERY** of China pony subscription griffins, the Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club had no other alternative but to call up the "reserves" to fill the programme, and there was certainly no discrimination of prizes between a good 'orse and a "hack" pony. The flat events confined to old China ponies during the first half of 1940 racing season can hardly be dismissed without some comment.

In the past, the "A" and "B" classes of China ponies had all the say at the Annual Carnival, but this season the small owners of "C", "D" and "E" divisions were very much in the limelight.

They should pat themselves on the back that their steeds were provided with attractive contests (the entries practically at all times being divided into two sections) from sprint to distance outings.

One would hardly believe that several ponies, which had retired from the Valley, came back into the arena, and a good few earned enough stake money to keep them going for another year.

### "B" Class Stake Winners

The FOLLOWING is a list of stake money won by "B" class old ponies:

Avon	\$1,300
Bear Claw	1,250
Blue Diamond	700
Conquering Time	300
Expansion Time	550
For All Time	250
Galaxy	300
Hundrum Eve	850
Hyndford Bridge	-
Jennifer	1,350
Jober	1,850
Just In Time	600
King Kong	1,850
Lancashire Lass	950
Lilliber	550
Peaceful View	1,000
Potentate	250
Red Feather	800
Rod Roy	800
Rose Emily	800
Rose Jane	200
King Kong, the winner of the Governor's Cup and other events, is now the only sub-griffin left in the "B" section, and the bay heads over 1 1/4 miles, last year, carrying the top weight and he finished the season with an addition of three victories including the Autumn Champion.	1,850

**SUCCESSFUL RETURN**

IT may not be known outside of the racing circles that Confusion Bay assumed a new phase after being defeated in the Hongkong Autumn Champion run on December 17, 1938. After an absence of six months, his return to the course was great success in the Whitson Plate over 1 1/4 miles, last year, carrying the top weight and he finished the season with an addition of three victories including the Autumn Champion.

In my mind the operation had done him a world of good and his gain for the first half amounted to \$2,150.

While on the subject Herod (of whom Sir V. S. Saunderson owned a third share), the winner of 1935 Blue Riband, ran with a tube, and it is learned that National Pride in his next public appearance will be described in the racebook as a gelding.

**OTHER EARNINGS**

AMONG the other "A" class ponies Navylight won \$2,644 Eve of



Members of the Cottage Club met last week to bid farewell to two of their griffins—Messrs. Leigh Hunt and J. Buls—who are shortly leaving the Colony. A ride and dance were held. This group photo was taken prior to their moving off on their jaunt across the Fanning countryside.—Ming Yuen.

### Guinness Time Heads "C" Class Runners

**THE LUCKIEST OWNER** was the stable raced under the name of "H. Leigh" (son of Mr. Li Po-chun) with Guinness Time, heading the list of "C" class runners with a total of \$2,450 with the inclusion of the Royal Navy Cup.

I append below a list of stake earners:

Advancing Time	\$ .900
Boont Bay	1,100
Celtic Star	1,450
Galveston Bay	1,250
Gladiator	600
Guinness Time	2,450
Laughing Girl	200
Musketeer	1,450
National Pride	750
Oak Bay	500
Pinprinthings	200
Rose Evelyn	1,550
Rose Queen	400
Scenic View	500
Soldier of Britain	1,000
Strathbannock	1,650
Tampa Bay	750

It will be seen from the above that the subscription griffins (Celtic Star, Guinness Time, Musketeer and Rose Evelyn) had done exceptionally well in this section of "C" class, but I cannot understand why the Chiu brothers have disposed of Musketeer. Up to a mile, the winner of the Garrison Cup can hold his own against any racer and Musketeer paid for its own upkeep.

#### DELIGHTFUL COME-BACK

HOWEVER I was delighted to see the comeback of two old timers in Gladiator and Soldier of Britain. The former after a sequence of 17 outings scored a "notable" success ridden by a novice Mr. Wood in the Lead Mine Handicap over the Derby course.

Soldier of Britain's last win in the Adult Reekie Handicap on December 4, 1937. He had 13 and 11 starts in 1938 and 1939 respectively without presenting his card to the judges. This year the soldier boy weighed out three times, and it was, therefore, after the 29th attempt that Soldier of Britain led the procession in the Green Island Handicap (third section) over a trip from the 1 1/2 mile post (about half mile 170 yards). There was no fluke in the success, for he was made a hot favourite and paid \$15.10 for a win. Was the handicap right?

#### TOO MUCH RACING

ALTHOUGH Marksman was eliminated for a few races at the annual and extra meetings, the champion sub-griffin of last year's batch failed to appear before the Clerk of the scales.

His last public performance was in the Sub-Grilline St. Leger run on November 4, when he finished in the ruck. I do not profess to be a

#### Major Baseball

### Cincinnati Reds Again Defeated

NEW YORK, June 20 (UP)—Cincinnati Reds, leaders of the National Baseball League were again defeated to-day, losing to the Philadelphia Phillies 4-3. The neck-and-neck race between the Detroit Tigers and the Boston Red Sox in the American circuit continues with their positions unchanged, both teams being defeated to-day.

Complete scores were:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	3	8	1
Battery: Thompson, Beggs, Lombardi, Hersberger.			
Philadelphia	4	11	0
Battery: Higbe, Atwood, Warren			
Chicago	3	9	0
Battery: French, Root, Olsen, Todd.			
New York	6	7	0
Battery: Schumacher, Melton, Dawson			
Pittsburgh	8	12	1
Battery: Butcher, Brown, Lopez.			
Baltimore	15	1	1
Battery: Feltz, Coffman, Erickson, Berres, Masl.			

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	6	12	1
Battery: Dean, Heusser, Hayes.			
Detroit	4	8	2
Battery: Newhouse, McCain, Tebbets.			
Boston	1	5	0
Battery: Galehouse, Peacock.			
St. Louis	2	6	0
Battery: Niggleng, Sutce.			
New York	0	2	2
Battery: Deacon, Dickey.			
Chicago	1	11	0
Battery: Rigby, Treh.			
Washington	1	4	1
Battery: Masters, Montague, Early.			
Cleveland	12	10	1
Battery: Feller, Hemley.			

trainer, but the possibility of donning the silk looks remote at the resumption. The sub made an aggregate of \$6,650 for the owner during 1939, but the bay had too much racing.

**NEXT CHANGE THAT BOMB MIGHT HAVE GONE OFF...**

**BORIS KARLOFF MARGARET LINDSAY BRITISH INTELLIGENCE**

If he had not gambled on a woman's terror!

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### MACAO RACES ON SUNDAY

#### Four Sprint Events Over Half-Mile: Special Sweepstake

**THE LAST MEETING** of the Macao Jockey Club before the recess will be held at Arcia Preta on Sunday, first saddling bell being rung at 2.30 p.m. sharp.

With the exception of the Governor's Cup and George Potts' Memorial Cup, both of which are over a mile, the other four events are fast runs over half mile, and good entries have been received.

A special dollar cash sweep is being conducted on the Governor's Cup (kindly presented by His Excellency the Macao Governor) and it is expected that the first prize will be better than the last, namely, \$11,517.06.

Mr. H. C. Pih is definitely making the excursion trip, for Mr. Li Lan-sang has nominated three ponies, and it would be advisable to follow him. He was certainly in great form at the last meeting, piloting four geegees to victory, and the jockey scored a "hat trick". A similar feat was accomplished by Mr. S. W. Pan at the January meeting when he steered four winners.

However, the conditions of his cup have been altered to be won twice instead of "in succession", and this makes easier for all owners.

Since the inception, Mr. Garve Cooper was the first successful owner with Merry Doe, and he was followed by Mr. Potts' Shanghai 4. Mr. H. McComb was the next, scoring with Hogmanay, and the last was by Meadow Eve owned by Mr. H. Y. Liang.

Merry Doe is in the happy hunting grounds, while Shanghai 4 is being nursed by a veterinary surgeon.

Meadow Eve put up a poor show in his last outing, but he has been set to carry 142 lbs. the same weight when he registered his first leg. If he can reproduce the same spirit and courage, Meadow Eve is worth \$5 each.

"It" is the result of the Chairman's Cup run about a fortnight ago can be taken on face value, the finish of the Governor's Cup on Sunday should be Fairy Ousey, Fairy Auk and Hor, many.

Mr. Pih was the Jockey on the winner "without the cane", but I understand he is "free" on Sunday to carry a whip. The combination is worth backing.

**Kan Hoo Handicap**

**IN the second section of the** Hark Sha Wan Handicap, the post of honour has fallen upon New Bedford, and despite the heavy burden, the grey should win.

King's Envoy is sure to throw out a strong challenge, and so will Mac's Adventure, who won the Normao Handicap quite comfortably at the last meeting.

Wild Bear looks good for big money.

**Potts' Memorial Cup**

**THE third event, George Potts'** Memorial Cup, over a mile has been modified to include those ponies known in Macao as "A" class. The cup must be won twice in succession.

Mr. J. M. Braga has a leg won by Fairy Ousey, and the grey has been nominated together with Double Up. The former is loaded to the plimsoll, while Double Up has not enough spirit to last a mile.

I have good reason to believe that Fairy Ousey will be reserved for the next race, the Governor's Cup.

However, I fancy Eagle, but the weight adjuster has not been too kind in the allotment, and I therefore switch on to Iron Knight, who is nicely weighted.

I was impressed with the running of The Mermaid at the last meeting, and it was his first public appearance after an absence of six months. Bearing his first outing, The Mermaid ran well and he should be among the first three.

**Governor's Cup**

I DOUBT very much that His Excellency the Governor will

be present to see the running of his Cup confined to "Y" class China ponies over a mile. His Excellency has not been lately enjoying too good a health and the Governor has not attended the last two meetings.

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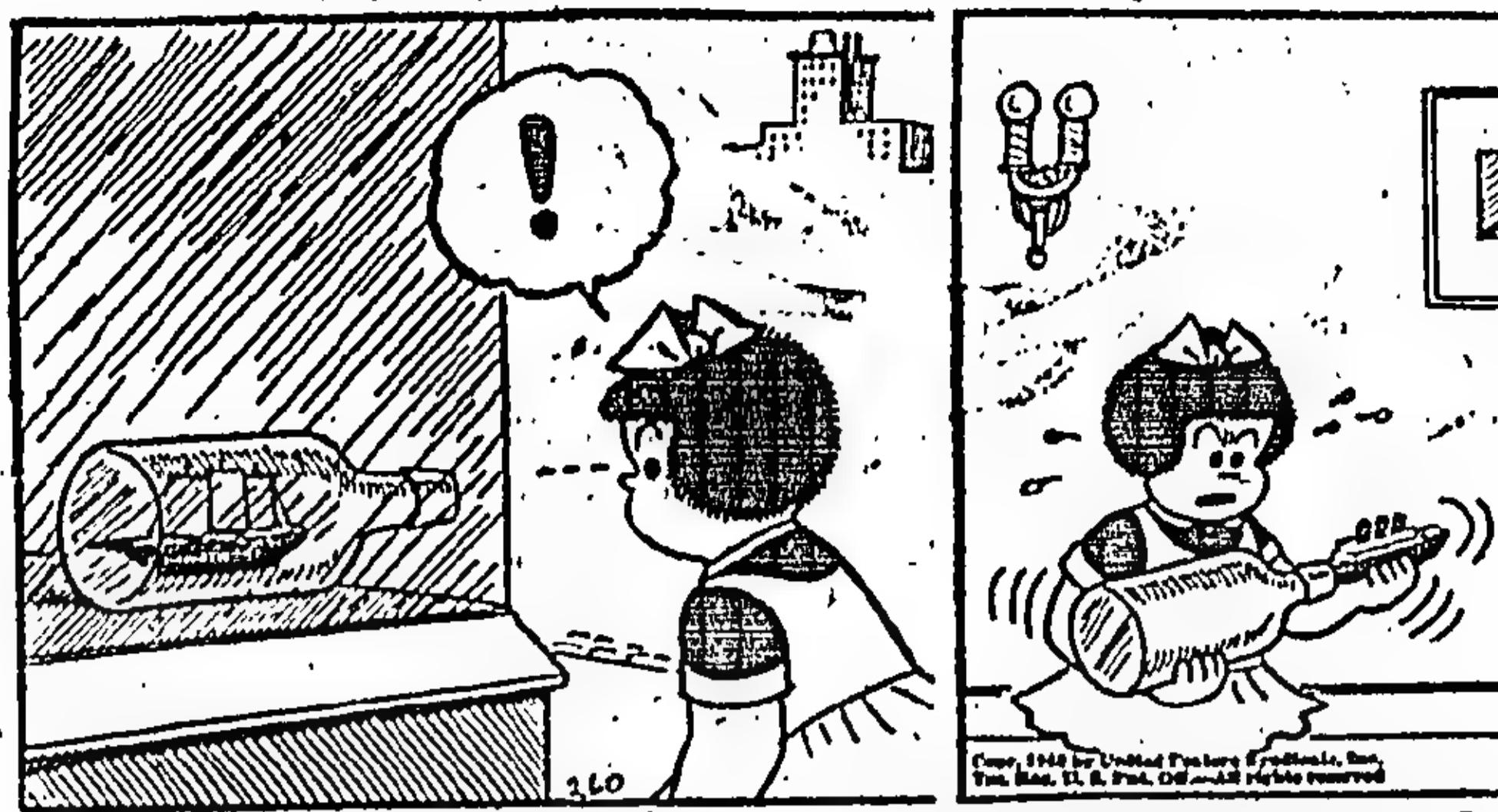
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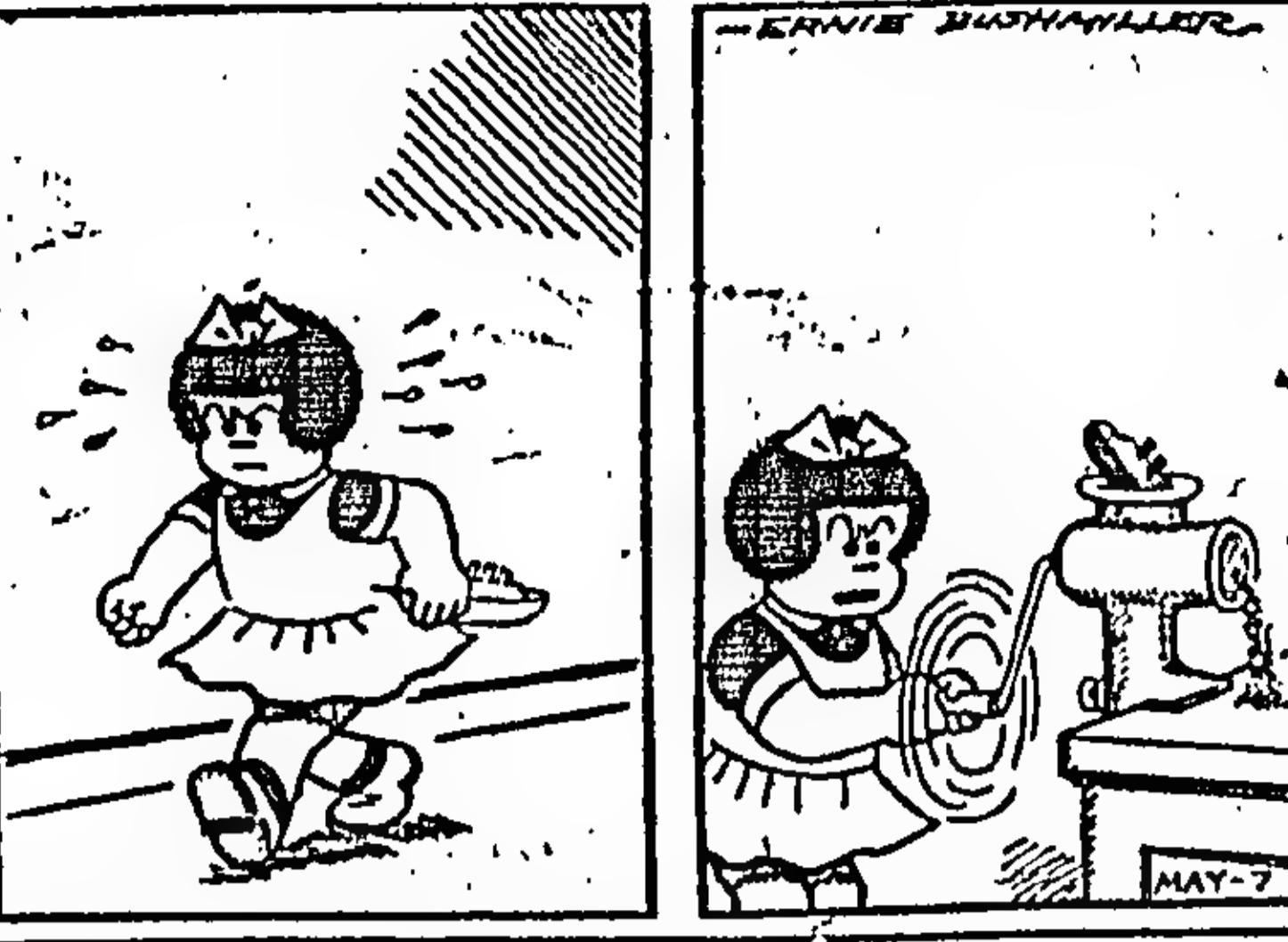
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NANCY



By Ernie

Bushmiller



## "Happy As A Cricket, Tough As Nuts" LONDON DELIGHTED BY THE ANZACS

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Convoys by the Royal Navy, a large contingent of Australians, New Zealanders, Tasmanians and Maoris have arrived in England.

They travelled for thousands of miles without an enemy submarine being able to get near them.

As they came ashore shouting, singing and cheering, they looked (in the words of the B.B.C. observer) as fit as a fiddle, as happy as a cricket and as tough as nuts.

The B.B.C. observer asked one man what he thought of the situation.

**Knew It Would Be Tough**

The man simply replied: "We knew it was going to be tough."

As they came ashore they got into trains which were waiting to receive them.

An Australian Army band played "Waltzing Matilda" and "There will always be an England."

This band was only formed few months ago. Quite a number of the men in it had never played in a band before they joined the army.

**Menzies' Announcement**

CANBERRA, June 20 (Reuter).—Mr. R. G. Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, to-day announced in the House of Representatives the arrival in England of contingents of the Australian Imperial Force and the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Mr. Menzies said it was of the greatest significance to the rest of the world that at this critical hour Australian and New Zealand troops joined troops from Canada in the heart of the Empire.

The decision to disembark forces in Britain was based on the consideration that the troops should be located where their assistance would be of the greatest service to the Allied cause.

## Evacuation Plan Approved

### Effect Of Scheme Explained

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—It is authoritatively stated that all the Dominions concerned have accepted the scheme for the evacuation of British children.

liaison offices are being established in the London headquarters of the scheme.

When the doors opened at 9 a.m. this morning, 3,000 were waiting.

**Weekly Evacuation**

It is explained that the scheme does not contemplate the despatch of minors overseas, but that it is proceeding on an orderly expanding scale week by week.

It is not regarded as a substitute for the Government's major policy for the evacuation of children to places within Britain.

The scope of the scheme is limited by the offers made by the Dominions and the shipping facilities available.

The suggestion of the evacuation of schools en bloc is regarded as entirely impracticable.

**Sydney's Offer**

SYDNEY, June 20 (Reuter).—Over 1,000 British children have been offered homes here.

### "Welcome" Awaits Parachutists

NEW YORK, June 20 (Reuter).—The entire output of a firm which manufactures sub-machine guns is being sent to Britain.

This means 5,000 tommy guns at present.

The factory is trying to speed up its output as fast as possible.

JULY.

## French Troops Cross Into Switzerland

BERNE, June 20 (Reuter).—About 40,000 troops from France have now crossed into Switzerland.

About 28,000 arrived last night, including 16,000 Poles.

**French Laying Down Arms**

MONTEUX, June 20 (Reuter).—Nearly 2,000 disarmed French troops and many civilians have arrived at Neuchatel from the frontier.

They include an air force contingent of 40 officers and 600 men with camouflaged cars, lorries and equipment.

## EMPIRE'S EFFORT

### War Contributions Flow To Britain

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).

Some indication of the huge and varied contributions in cash and kind which have been pouring into Britain from all parts of the Empire was given by Mr. Bryan Meredith in a talk from Daventry to-day.

It is a long list which grows longer as each day and hour passes, he said.

It ranges from heavy material support to heavy spiritual support.

The sum total is several million pounds of comforting cash.

One list entitled "Military and other gifts" has been made by the Colonial Governments, chiefs of various bodies and individuals in the British Colonial Empire and His Majesty's Government organisations.

This list goes for pages and pages, not only because so many peoples have contributed, but also because the people are so many, so varied and so human.

**Money For War Organisations**

There has been lashings of money for the Red Cross, St. Dunstans, the Y.M.C.A. and other war organisations as well as money for war expenses or some specific purpose, such as gunnery bombers.

Then there are many homely items, not in cash but in kind.

In Tanganyika, for instance, some chieftains and their people have given portions of their 1939 harvests of coffee and maize.

Another tribe sent 50 lbs. of tobacco for the services, while another sent 10 tons of rice to the King's African Rifles.

**50 Turtles For Navy**

In Jamaica, 50 live turtles have been given to the Royal Navy by a firm which specialises in them. The lonely little island of Tristan da Cunha has sent woolen comforts knitted by 25 inhabitants.

Organisations and individuals too have sent gifts.

The Chinese section of the Red Cross of Trinidad has sent money for two ambulances.

**Leopards Contribute**

In Fiji, 600 leopards have contributed half of the money raised for their support.

The list could go on for hours and hours as it is so vast.

To the people at home these gifts represent good will and prayers that are both humbling and heartening.

### SIX AGE GROUPS TO REGISTER

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Two age groups are being registered this month and arrangements are being made to register four further age groups in July.

This means that by the end of next month the men of 33 years of age will have registered for military service.

The men of 29 years of age will register next Saturday.

In all more than 1,000,000 additional men will have registered by July.

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## JITTERY PARTNER

### Italy's Position In War Unenviable

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).

A "New York Times" editorial dwells on the unenviable position of Hitler's partners. It says:

"It is noteworthy that there is little jubilation in Italy over Hitler's success in France, and the warnings and precautions against a tough struggle ahead, launched at the moment of a French defeat, indicate pretty clearly that the Italians believe that the British will continue to the war, even in their determination to save the Empire."

**Moscow Reaction**

"No less interesting are reports of the dismay mounting in Moscow as the German armies over-run France. The Red Army moves in the Baltic will strengthen the Russian frontiers against a victorious Germany, while at the same time staking out the Soviet claims in a re-organised Europe."

"The same motive inspires the new rapprochement of Russia and Turkey. It is a sign that Stalin considers the Dardanelles a vital link in the Soviet defence system. These are moves of panic."

**Panic Move**

"Mussolini's last-minute rush to join Hitler before he gathered in all the fruits of victory was also a move of panic."

"Hitler's partners in crime are much more jittery than the British as they dig in grimly for the mass attack."

## Escape From War Zone

### Newsmen, Refugees Land In England

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).

"From war torn France we arrived here this evening," states Reuter's chief correspondent in France from a port in the South of England.

"We arrived in a vessel which, in addition to its normal complement of passengers, brought over 1,300 refugees.

"Many have come from Brussels from where they have been driven slowly southward by the German advance."

"Few had slept in a bed for a week or more."

**Notables Aboard**

"On board the ship were Sir Maurice Peterson, the former French Minister, M. Pierre Cot, Baron Robert de Rothschild, the French dramatist, M. Henry Bernstein and the Belgian Foreign Minister, M. Jasper.

The Czechoslovakian Minister, M. Ossusk, was not on board. He returned at the last minute to Bordeaux to look after six Czechoslovakian airmen.

**One of the British officers on board was among the last to leave the Maginot Line.**

## CANADIAN GOVT. REORGANISATION

OTTAWA, June 20 (Reuter).—It is reported here in Parliamentary circles that Mr. Mackenzie King is forming a partial National Government.

The enlargement of the Cabinet will be announced to-morrow.

The Hon. Mr. Grote Stirling, formerly Minister of National Defence in Mr. Richard B. Bennett's Cabinet, is prominently mentioned for the Cabinet.

Mr. Tom Moore, President of Tantramar and veteran Labour leader who is particularly favoured by Mr. Mackenzie King, is expected to take over the Ministry of Labour.

His appointment will be similar to that of Mr. Ernest Bevin in Mr. Churchill's Cabinet.

**Stock Exchange Active**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—On the Stock Exchange to-day, gilt-edged holdings were active and rose on continued demand.

Industrials were narrowly irregular.

Foreign holdings were more active on the removal of the ban on dealing in certain securities.

Oils were easy. Shell and transport holdings declined following the announcement that there will be no further dividend for 1939.

Wall Street was narrowly irregular.

**Canada's Fine Wheat Crop**

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Cables from Ottawa suggest in contrast to the gloomy food outlook in Nazi-occupied Europe, that Canada promises to break all records in grain production.

There are nearly 1,500,000 acres and more under wheat this year, while in the maritime provinces the rains have induced excellent growths in the pastures and forage crops.

In addition, Canada will have a record carry-over of 241,000,000 bushels of wheat with the new season.

## Dishonourable Proposal By Ex-Premier

## HERTZOG WANTS TO "RAT" ON ALLIES

JOHANNESBURG, June 20 (Reuter).—General Hertzog, former Premier of South Africa, has written to General Jan Smuts, the present Premier, proposing that South Africa should "immediately take all necessary measures to withdraw from the war."

General Hertzog asserts that the Allied cause is "doomed to failure" and protests against the "reckless risk to national freedom and the senseless sacrifice of African-youth in a fruitless struggle."

He declares that further measures of compulsion for the prosecution of the war might lead to far-reaching disturbances.

**Dishonourable Proposal**

General Smuts, in a letter replying to General Hertzog, said that this "dishonourable proposal" had already been decisively rejected by Parliament and that he did not doubt, that, if re-submitted, it would suffer the same fate.

General Smuts added that he could not be expected, solely on General Hertzog's personal pressure, to violate the decision of Parliament.

General Smuts added that friends and advocates of Hitler, who look expectantly for a Nazi victory, will most probably meet the same disappointment in us in the just war.

**Neutrality, A Broken Reed**

Germany herself had exposed the fallacy of General Hertzog's argument that the Union could be kept from danger by remaining neutral. Neutrality had not profited Denmark, Norway, Holland and Belgium.

Germany had shown malice to the Union by continuous hostile propaganda and the formation of a Fifth Column.

The Union Government would carry out its policy on the mandate of Parliament and should not allow its execution to be nullified by political propaganda or threats of violence.

## 9 Rescued After Days Of Horror

### New Dunkirk Drama Comes To Light

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Details of the rescue of nine French soldiers by a British fast motor boat some time after the withdrawal of the Allied troops from Dunkirk have become known in London.

For nine days these survivors had existed on board a wreck, sunk in shallow water within a few miles of Dunkirk.

**No Food Or Water**

After nine days without food or water they were rescued.

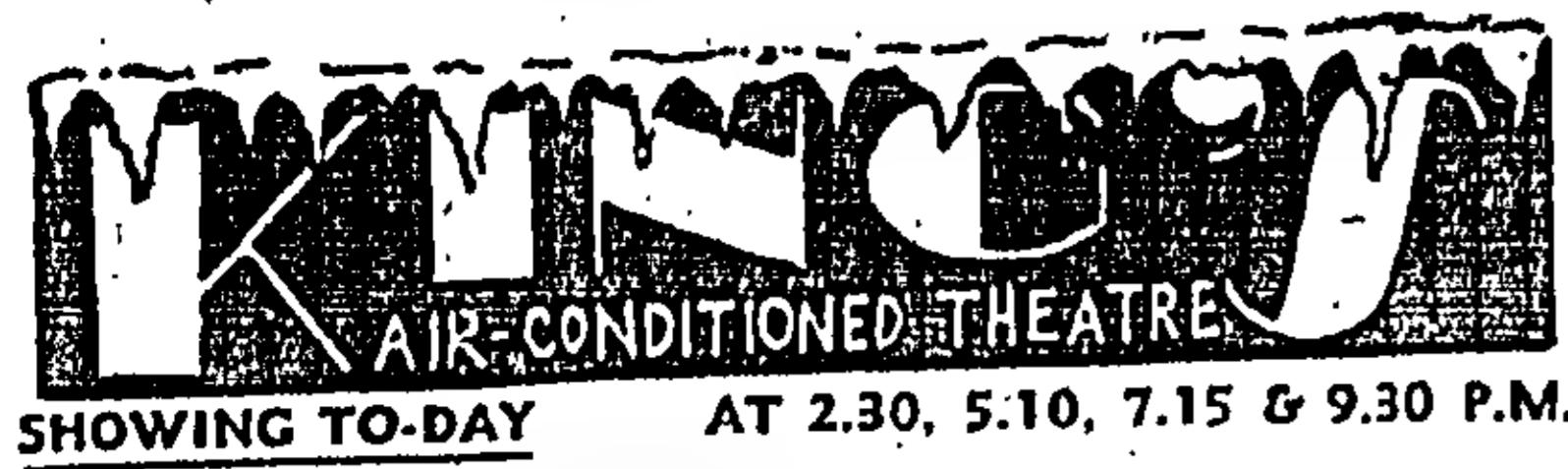
The party had originally consisted of 20 but 11 perished.

Four men built a raft and set out for England not to be seen again.

Seven others had died after drinking sea water.

The survivors had burnt their boat partly to supply warmth at night and partly to attract attention.

## STOCK EXCHANGE ACTIVE



SHOWING TO-DAY AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 &amp; 9.30 P.M.



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McCREA KELLY  
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A Warner Bros. "BRITISH INTELLIGENCE"



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## Red Cross Nurses Stick to Their Task Among Wounded Lying Under Hail of Bombs on Beach

By RONALD CAMP

RED CROSS nurses who for days have defied the bombs and shells on the beach at Dunkirk and tended Allied casualties even while being machine-gunned, have refused to be evacuated until the last B.E.F. wounded are sent to safety.

Some of the nurses have been killed, others wounded.

This story of the Red Cross women was told to me to-day by a wounded British soldier who landed in England at dawn.

"I cannot describe what we feel about those girls," he said. "Out on that dreadful beach, with the sun pouring down on them, with German planes continually over-head and shells bursting all the time, they have worked without stopping for days past."

"If they have slept, they have done so on their feet. Dressed in their white uniforms, the women stand out among the exhausted and wounded men."

"ANGELS IS THE ONLY WORD . . ."

"Attacked by German planes, and even by tanks, with machine-gun bullets whistling all round, I have seen them crawling into the open and dragging wounded men to shelter beneath sand dunes."

"I saw one party of them dressing wounded who were lying out in the open. A plane began bombing. They just lay down by their patients and continued bandaging. They have fetched water and food, helped wounded to reach the rescue boats, even wading in the water to assist the men."

"Angels is the only word you can use to describe them. I have seen

### LATE NEWS

SOUTH-EAST COAST, June 3.

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"Then he collapsed. The British sailors below armed themselves, came on deck and attacked the Germans, who were all killed. The captain died soon after he reached port. But before he died he wrote a special report commanding his men for their bravery."

Small German torpedo motor-boats which attempted to harass rescue ships at the beginning have been dealt with by the Navy. The Navy's guns have also shattered scores of German tanks which have saluted on to the beach.

And while the rearguard of British and French troops hold the enemy at bay until the evacuation is ended, the R.A.F. is helping the naval barrage by dropping thousands of bombs.

An official said that every ship which has come to the beach has taken immense supplies of food and water. Within eight hours of the order being given to send supplies to the beach some days ago, enough food, water, cigarettes and chocolates for 35,000 men was on its way from one South Coast port.

Aeroplanes helped the provisioning of the rearguard by dropping water in petrol tins. Tens of thousands of tins of water have been landed on the beach.

Certain Scottish troops, part of the rearguard still fighting, are reluctant to leave Dunkirk.

"They say they are having a grand party," one officer declared. "Their fighting fury is roused, and each night they form parties of 25 and go out hunting Germans. When they return they count their score."

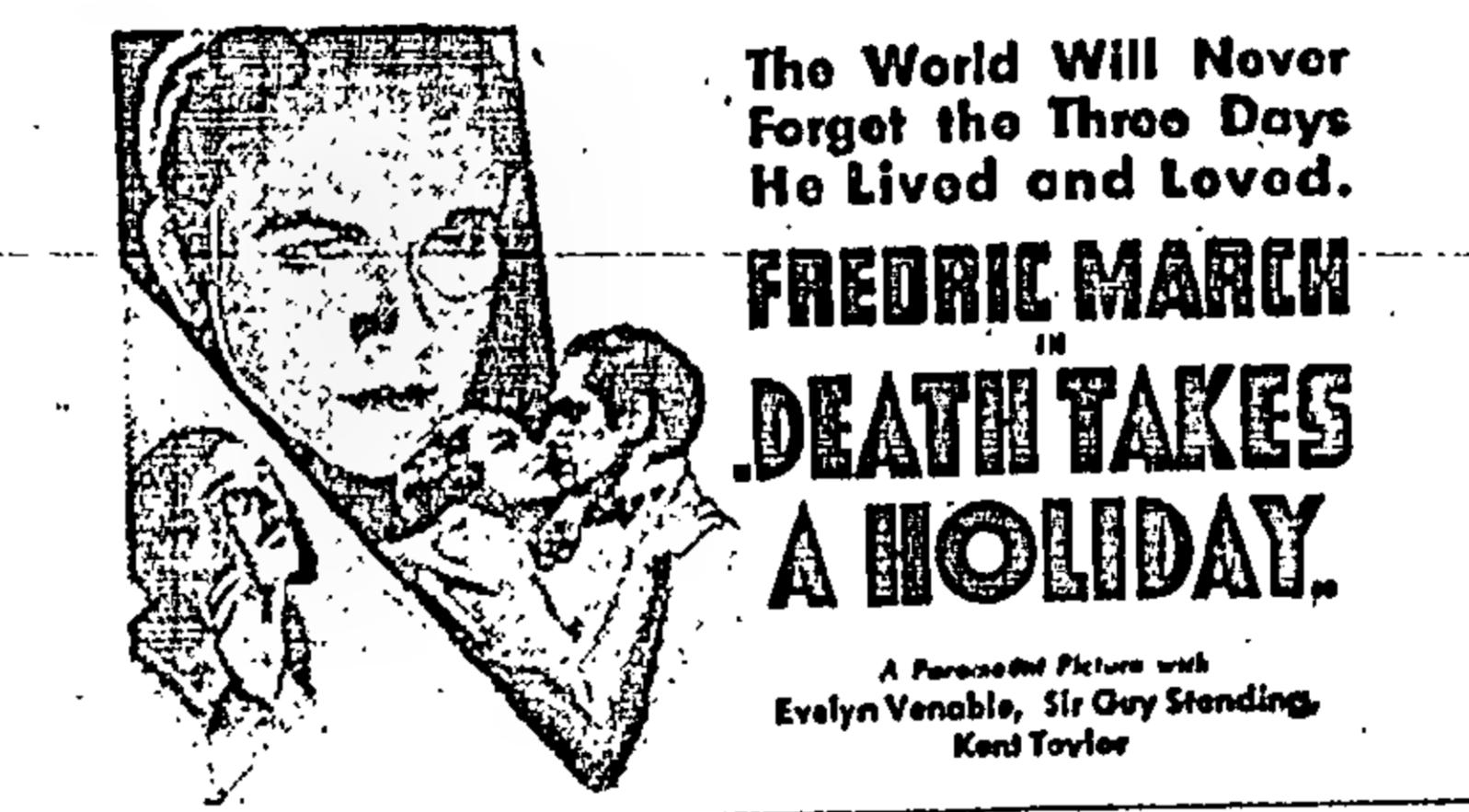
A French officer, dying of wounds, was carried by a British officer from a ship to a dressing station at a South Coast port. Before he died he removed his revolver and cartridge belt and gave them to the young Englishman. His last words, in English, were: "Go to it."

From the South-East Coast last night the flashes of the guns bombarding Dunkirk could be seen.

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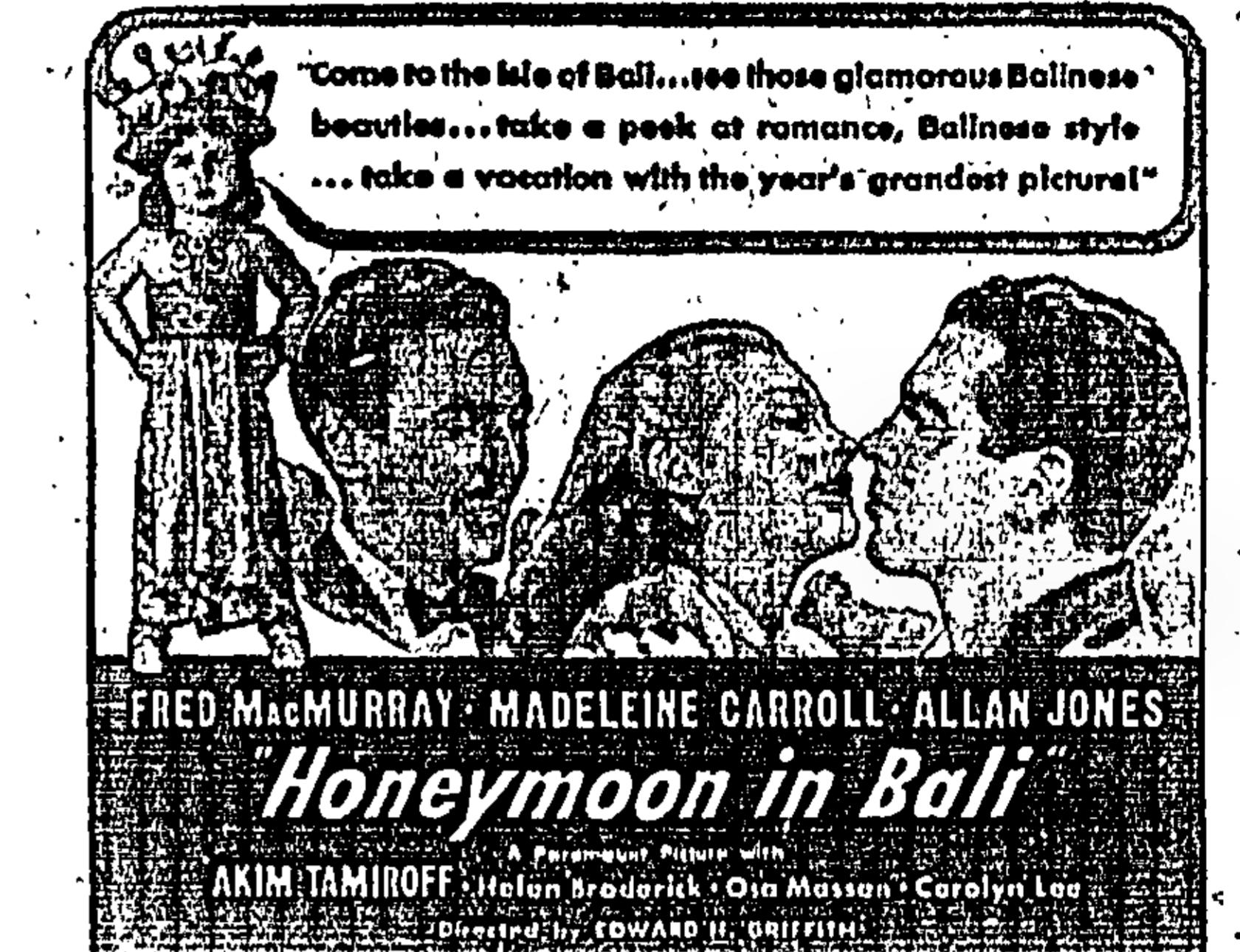
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## NEW FLOOD OF UNCONFIRMED REPORTS FROM EUROPE

# FRANCE MAY CONTINUE WAR FROM AFRICA

## Tunisia May Become Key To Allied Hopes

Enemy 60  
Miles From  
Bordeaux?

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MADRID, June 21  
(UP).—Reports from  
the border state that the  
vanguard of the Ger-  
man mechanized units  
are now within 60 miles  
of Bordeaux, the French  
war-time capital.

## Coalition Cabinet For U.S.

President Roosevelt's  
Bombshell Decision

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, June 20

(UP).—President Roosevelt

has made the bombshell an-

nouncement that Republican

leaders are to be invited to

join his Democratic Cabinet

—a situation unique in

American political history.

The President has nomi-

nated Colonel Frank Knox,

the great U.S. publisher

and a aspirant for

Presidential honours, as

Secretary of the Navy, and

Mr. Henry Stimson, former

Republican Secretary of

State, as Secretary for War.

Colonel Knox was formerly an

Isolationist. Both he and Mr.

Stimson are now uncompromis-

ing supporters of every possible

form of U.S. aid short of war

for the Allies.

The French radio and Havas said

that the French plenipotentiaries left

Bordeaux this afternoon. Berlin an-

nounced that they had not left.

At the same time, a German news

agency said that the Nazi High Com-

mand had given orders to receive them.

The Italian news agency Stefani

went so far as to say that the negotia-

tions were on their way home to

Bordeaux and that the hostilities

would cease on Friday or Saturday.

None of the reports suggested the

time or the place of the meeting.

On Way Back, Says Report

Rome-Radio states that the French

plenipotentiaries have already left

the designated meeting place and are

on their way to Bordeaux.

Plenipotentiaries Named

The French Government has in-

formed the German Government that

its plenipotentiaries are General

Huntziger, M. Leon Noel, Vice-

Admiral Leluc and General Bergeret,

of the Air Force, according to a

German news agency.

"Because of the difficulties of com-

munication through the Spanish and

French Governments," adds the

agency, "the communication did not

reach the German Government until

one o'clock this morning.

"It was transmitted to the Fuehrer

at four o'clock whereupon the Ger-

man High Command at once took the

necessary steps for the reception of

the French delegates."

Italy's Demands

BASILE, June 20 (Reuters).—One

chief condition of peace must be the

Turn to Page 7, Fourth Column

Enemy mechanized units have

broken through the French lines in

the Champagne area and are pushing

through Dijon.

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London and Straits ..... June 23.  
Saigon ..... June 23.  
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Japan and Shanghai ..... June 23.  
Japan, Shanghai and Formosa ..... June 24.  
Canton ..... June 24.  
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Service" ..... June 24.  
Australia and Manila ..... June 25.  
Shanghai ..... June 25.  
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Calcutta and Straits ..... June 26.

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Sandakan ..... 7 p.m.  
Saturday, June 22.  
Shanghai and Purcells only for Tientsin ..... 9 a.m.  
Bangkok ..... 12.30 p.m.  
Shanghai ..... 12.30 p.m.  
Mombasa ..... 5.30 p.m.  
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Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

G.P.O.  
Reg. ..... June 22, 5.00 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 22, 5.30 p.m.

STRAITS

Tourane and Saigon ..... 5.30 p.m.

Sunday, June 23.

Manila ..... 8.00 p.m.

Amoy ..... 9.00 p.m.

Shanghai ..... 9.00 p.m.

Monday, June 24.

Canton ..... 7.15 a.m.

Sutawo, Amoy and Formosa ..... 10.30 a.m.

Shanghai ..... 12.30 p.m.

Japan ..... 2.30 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom.

K.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 24, 2.45 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 24, 3.30 p.m.

G.P.O.

Reg. ..... June 24, 2.45 p.m.  
Ord. ..... June 24, 3.30 p.m.

STRAITS (Parcels only) ..... 5 p.m.

Singapore and Calcutta.

Parcels ..... June 24, 5 p.m.

Ord. ..... June 24, 7 p.m.

Canton ..... 7.00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 25.

Hainan ..... Noon.

Fort Bayard, and Hothow ..... 12.30 p.m.

Parcels only for Tientsin ..... 12.30 p.m.

Hainan ..... 3.00 p.m.

Japan ..... 8.30 p.m.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,

**J. P. SHERRY,**  
Manager.  
Hongkong, 11th June, 1940.

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Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

**L. OHL,**  
Agent.

### STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Summary issued yesterday says:

A fairly good turnover was reported with prices slightly easier.

### Buyers

Lands \$31

Trams \$14.50

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Safes

H.K. Banks \$1,250

Unions \$300

Lands \$31

Trams \$14.60

China Lights (Old) \$0.50

Electric \$57.75/57.50

Telephones (Old) \$22

Dairy Farms \$10.40

### Duke Of Windsor: Absurd Rumours

LONDON, June 20 (British Wire-

less).—It is authoritatively stated in

London to-night that there is no

truth in the ridiculous suggestion

that an order has been made or com-

### LETTERS

#### Rizal Day And The War Fund

To The Editor,

The "Hongkong Telegraph." Sir—Due to present trend of world events, our Committee decided that all arrangements for the tilian, musical programme and tea dance at the Filipino Club on Sunday, June 23, are cancelled.

Donations in memory of the birth of Dr. Jose P. Rizal, will be received from the Filipino Community and contributed to the British War Fund opened by the South China Morning Post Ltd.

C. L. AMPER,  
Secretary,  
Committee on  
Rizal Day  
Celebration.

### CORRECTION

Sir.—After reading an article in your paper which stated that I have entered the Colony with no passport I wish you would make a few corrections. The fact is, I have a passport. I only failed to obtain a visa to re-enter the Colony after going to Manila for a visit.

The second correction is that I am not a Hungarian, although I like Hungarian goulash sometimes. I was born in Praha, Czechoslovakia.

Rudolf FRIML.

(Our apologies to an eminent composer for incorrect reporting of his case.—Ed.)

### H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning:

#### BANKS

H.K. Banks \$..... 1,250 sa.  
H.K. Banks (Lon. Reg.) £..... 68 n.  
H.K. Banks (H.K. Reg.) £73 n.

Chartered £..... 74 n.

Mercantile, A. & B. £..... 30 n.  
Mercantile, C. £..... 12 n.

East Asia \$..... 73 n.

#### INSURANCES

Canton \$..... 218 n.  
Union \$..... 390 sa.  
China Underwriters \$..... 85 cts. n.  
H.K. Fire \$..... 100 n.

#### SHIPPING

Douglas S..... 120 n.  
Steamboats \$..... 11 n.  
Indo-Chinas P. \$ x.d. .... 100 n.  
Indo-Chinas D.\$..... 60 n.  
Shell (Bearers) \$/..... 73/6 n.  
Waterboats \$ x.d. .... 0.00 n.

#### DOCKS ETC.

Wharves \$..... 05 n.  
Docks (old) \$..... 15 1/2 n.  
Docks (new) \$..... 15 1/2 n.  
Providents \$..... 3 1/2 n.  
Sh. Docks Sh. \$..... 23 1/2 n.

#### MINING

Kallan s/..... 17/6 n.  
Raubs \$..... 0.55 n.  
H.K. Mines \$cts.

#### LANDS

Hotels \$..... 4.35 n.  
Lands \$..... 31 n.  
Lands 4% Debentures ..... 100 n.  
Shai Lands Sh. .... 10.10 n.

Humphreys \$..... 8 n.  
H.K. Realities \$..... 4.20 n.

Chinese Estates \$..... 104 1/2 n.

#### UTILITIES

Trams \$..... 14.60 n.  
Peak Trams (old) \$..... 7.40 n.  
Peak Trams (new) \$..... 3.70 n.

Star Ferries \$..... 60 n.

V. Ferries \$..... 22 n.

China Lights (old) \$..... 6 1/4 sa.  
China Lights (new) \$..... 4 n.

H.K. Electric \$..... 57 1/4 sa.

Macao Electrics \$..... 21.10 n.

Sandakan Lights \$..... 11 1/4 n.

Telephones (old) \$..... 22 n.

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# MAGAZINE PAGE

**NOBODY** knows who gave **N**o the cry, where it came from; nobody will ever know. No newspaper gave it, no wireless announced it, but it was there . . . everywhere throughout Czechoslovakia. In the big banks, in the hotels, in the factories.

*Fight smiling. That was the cry!*

A slogan, clear as if it were cut in marble. Words which will live in history like the words of Luther, Nelson, or Washington. Words which are stronger than tanks.

The Germans were there, the destroyers of the rights of man! They had settled, down in the heart of the trust Republic that ever was.

Over the Wenceslas Square, Prague, thundered the Prussian battalions on the march. The greedy hordes of Hitler stormed into the houses like panthers for booty. Rob, rob, rob!

TANK parade on Wenceslas Square. The crew in charge of the tanks are sitting like Tibetan idols.

The crowd walks calmly around the tanks. The young fellows curiously inspect the engines, touch the armoured plates, the caterpillars. Laughs and jokes.

The soldiers do not understand one word; they are wet, tired, and bad-tempered. Pretty girls are flirting with them to divert their attention while the lads fumble with the tanks.

Signal to start. The motors begin to work. The tanks start, stop. Silence.

The crowd is laughing. The officers are cursing. The column comes to a standstill. Engineers appear. Confusion.

The crowd double up with laughter. Inspection. Result: There was water, milk, sugar, and even raw eggs in the petrol tanks.

Ever since, the Prague people have called the tanks Hitler's omelettes.

Bohemia is hilarious. Who has done it? How? The Gestapo investigates, cross-examines; hundreds are questioned. The same typical answer from smiling lips: *No resumé—"I do not understand."*

**THE** Skoda works in Pilsen. The famous weapon forge of the country; moreover, one of the biggest machine factories of the world. A marvel of organisation and technical skill.

When Hitler seized Skoda, I saw legionaries cry like boys. The Hun have Skoda, the sun is setting for us!

But the watchword lifted their hearts. Fight smiling! Do not cry—fight, smile!

It started in the steel works! There where the knowledge, the experience of the individual decide whether steel turns out as it should.

A year ago Switzerland had ordered 10 tanks from Skoda. Neither light nor heavy machine-guns fire was able to damage these tanks. Even light artillery was powerless against Skoda steel.

In April Germans offered further tanks to Switzerland. They referred to the good results of the recently delivered Skoda tanks, made concessions and obtained an order.

In July the new tanks were taken by German officers to the Swiss fortress of Thun.

A debacle. Even light machine-gun fire riddled them. Heavy gun fire caused a complete collapse.

"We have enough cheese in the country, we need not buy it from Germany," jeered the Swiss officers. The expression "Cheese Tanks" sprang.

Himmler, Hitler's bloodhound, came racing to Pilsen. Hundreds were arrested, beaten, tortured.

Two thousand men were sent to the Rhineland, to the Krupp factory in Essen. There they spoilt everything that could be spoilt, for they did not understand the orders given them. They smiled innocently when the Prussians cursed. *No resumé.*



**NIGHT** in the suburb, German patrol. A young girl walks slowly through a narrow lane.

She smiles coquettishly at the German sentry. Disappears into a block of houses. After a little while another girl appears, then another.

Upstarts a dozen young fellows and girls are sitting with drawn cutlins. Everyone has before him a manuscript which he copies about twenty times during the night.

In the morning a hundred leaflets are ready. Each leaflet is copied all over the country by thousands of men and women. The number swells in geometrical proportion.

The "Ten Commandments" became famous. Instructions for the smiling fight against the oppressor.

A few days elapsed and every priest in every church of the country said at the end of his sermon the following words: "In these difficult times follow the Ten Commandments."



## HITLER'S SMILING ENEMY

Every man, every woman, every child, applied sabots to the train. By day and night, with every thought, every feeling, And they all smile when they speak to the enemy.

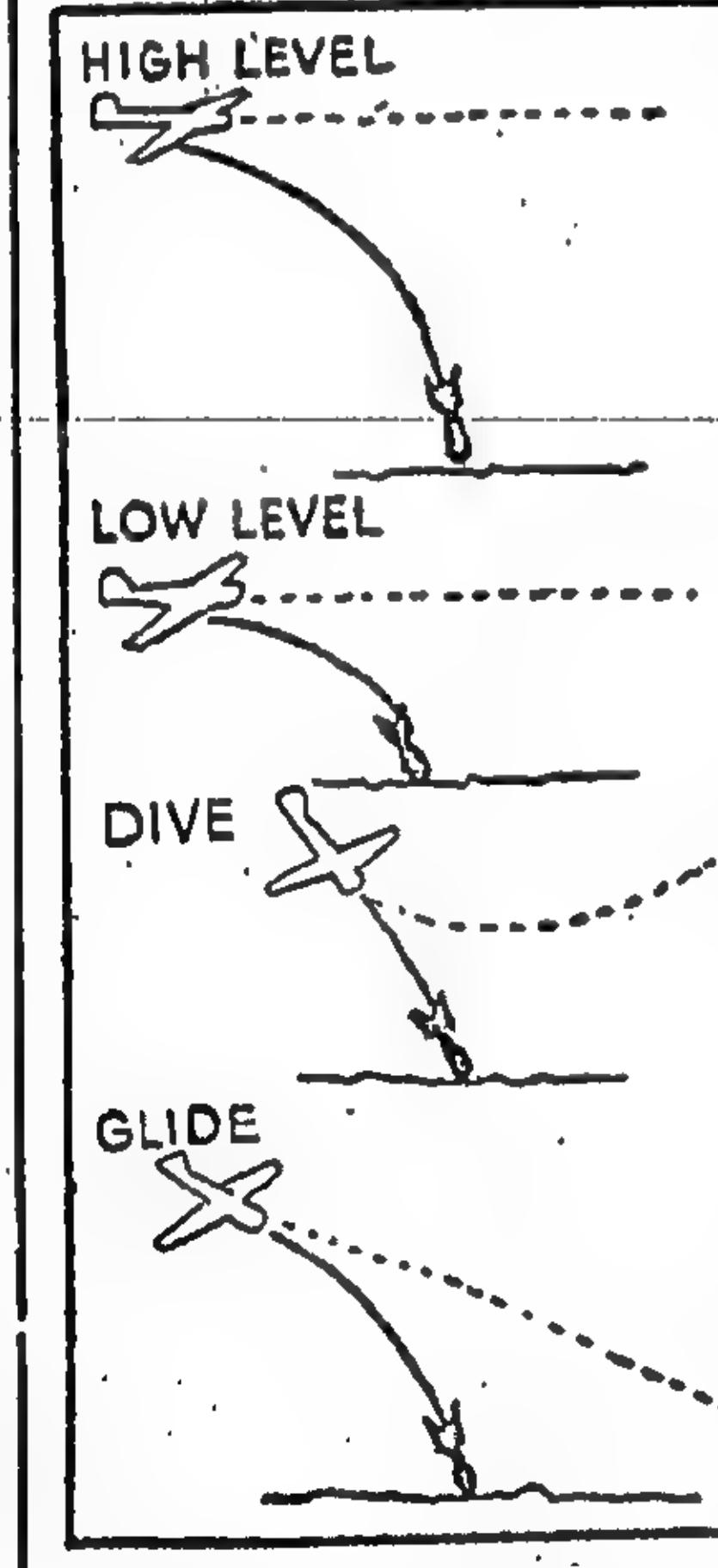
Nobody commands, nobody leads, and the effect on the enemy is terrible. There are no leaders to be seized! And a million people cannot be arrested.

The smiling fight continues along the whole line, it is the most spectacular conspiracy of an entire nation: a sight of stirring greatness.

**THE** entire nation of the Czechs speak with devotion of Bohumil Alpamy. A national hero. He was an engine driver.

He was superintending a train from Brno into the Rhineland. The train has a precious load. In each of the fifty wagons there is a German official of the Gestapo. And on the engine one of the Black Guard.

**METHODS OF BOMBING**  
What the Air Ministry's technical bombing terms mean



### FIRE SEQUEL: SUSPECTED

The Kwong Sang Hong Chemical works, Wan Chai, scene of a big fire recently, claimed another victim last night when Kwong Sing, aged 35, died on his way to the Queen Mary Hospital, from severe burns.

Kwong Sing was carrying a big bottle of carbolic acid when it burst in his hands, causing severe burns to his body from which he succumbed.

Another two cases of scalds were also reported. Cheng Yau, a 10-year-old male was admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital suffering from scalds as a result of a kettle of boiling water overturning. Ki Chai, aged 38, was scalded when working at the Tai Kok Sugar Refinery, and admitted to Queen Mary Hospital.

### FOUL PLAY IS MAN DIES

Foul play is suspected in the discovery of the body of an old Chinese woman, found floating near Hollywood yesterday.

The woman, who was between 65 and 70 years of age, was apparently the victim of an attack, as she had a fresh wound at the top of her head. She was dressed in a black cotton jacket, was toothless and bald. The Police are making the usual inquiries.

Eight hundred machine guns, eight hundred of the world-famous Brno guns, the best in the world, stolen from the factory in Brno, on their way to Germany.

The train rolls northward in the Moravian Spring. Bohumil Alpamy gallantly smokes his short pipe, shows the man of the Black Guard the flourishing landscape, jokes and smiles.

Two short whistles. The fireman lifts his shovel:

"Jump off!" shouts the engineer-driver to the fireman. He puts the brakes on. The fireman jumps, falls, gets up, disappears in the wood. Full steam ahead!

The next curve. A crackling, a splintering. Eight hundred Brno guns torn away from the arch enemy.

Alpamy lies on his bier. He smiles in death like a victorious hero.

Innumerable Alpamys live in Czechoslovakia. In every heart a glowing love for the fatherland, in every soul a burning hatred against the enemy.

Hearts of steel, smiling lips. Woe to Hitler, when they open to utter the battle cry.

**HIGH-LEVEL BOMBING**

The safest but most highly skilled and perhaps least accurate form of bombing employed by raiders. The aircraft approach the target at a great height, make rapid calculations involving speed, wind, temperature, etc., before carefully aiming their bombs.

If they score a direct hit (and it is not easy) the tremendous penetrative power of a heavy bomb dropped from height makes it certain that the destruction will be great. On the other hand, the pilot has to drop his bombs 1½ miles away when flying at, say, 10,000 ft., and at this height simple miss-calculation of wind strength is enough to deflect the bombs 70 or 80 feet.

Under ideal conditions the bomb aimer would like a clear, straight run in of 5 or 6 miles across his target to ensure anything like accuracy. In practice, gunfire and fighters confuse his aim and make it as difficult as possible for him to sight his target.

### LOW-LEVEL BOMBING

Very dangerous for the aircraft because they are open to pom-pom, small arms and other fire from the ground as well as running a risk of meeting obstructions such as balloon barrages. Nevertheless, it is an accurate method of bombing which can be very telling if the pilots are determined and retain their nerve. Heaviest calibre bombs are not usually suitable for such attacks owing to the danger of blast damaging the aircraft above.

### DIVE BOMBING

The most terrifying form of bombing, but not necessarily the most destructive. The bombers open to the same and even greater risk than in low-level bombing, but owing to the fact that they dive and aim their aircraft at the target they can usually ensure greater accuracy. Moreover, the bombs fall at an angle which may enable them to cause more superficial damage above ground.

### GLIDE BOMBING

The bombers come in at a great height, then switch off their engines to avoid detection and glide towards the target. Essentially a form of high-level bombing except, of course, that the aircraft are losing height all the time.

As between day and night bombing it must be understood that there is a world of difference. Except on a bright night, under a full moon, where shadows are not confusing, it is easier to spot a target by night as by day. Certain objectives, such as bridges, harbours, printing railway

### FUNNY SIDE UP



## LOWLANDS AND GESTAPO RULE

**JEWISH** life under the Nazis in Holland and Belgium proceeds according to the well known pattern worked out in Poland Denmark and Norway.

From official reports of the Nazi-controlled radio in Amsterdam and Brussels, and from information

obtained from refugees it appears that the procedure of dealing with the Jews in the Low Countries is somewhat as follows:

Jews who had emigrated from Poland to Holland and Belgium are being sent back to Poland into the so-called Lublin Reservation. Jewish refugees from Germany are being arrested, detained in the local prisons for several days to ascertain the whereabouts of their fortunes, and then sent back to Germany. The native Jewish populations of Holland and Belgium are treated in very much the same way as the Danish and Norwegian Jews, that is, with greater severity than the rest of the population and with a marked tendency to introduce the anti-Jewish discriminatory regulations prevailing in the streets.

At the same time, the process of stripping the Jews of all valuables, foodstuffs and stocks of raw materials is proceeding in a more ruthless manner even than in Poland. All day long one sees German military trucks in front of Jewish shops and private houses, whether the occupants are there or not, removing everything that is of value, including furniture, kitchen utensils, linen, clothing and food-stuffs for despatch to Germany.

Following the method introduced in Poland, the Nazi authorities of Belgium and Holland have ordered the Jewish communities to provide a certain number of Jews for forced labour, to clear away the debris of the bombed cities. The Leader of the Nazi Labour Front, in a speech at Nuremberg, announced that 150,000 Jews from Poland, who are now doing forced labour in Germany will be sent to Holland and Belgium to "make good the destruction which Jewish capitalists have wrought in Holland and in Belgium by bringing them into the war."

IN the occupied territories of Holland and Belgium the Nazis have issued appeals to the population to co-operate with the Germans. Among the promises made in these appeals figures the phrase "Hitler will solve the Jewish problem in Europe after winning the war". The appeal indicates the manner in which this "solution" will be effected, namely: Jews will be deported from Europe to the various French and British Colonies in Africa, "to make room for Aryans".

The Jewish question is a world problem, one appeal continued, "but the big nations have hitherto done nothing to solve it; therefore the Fuhrer promises to undertake the job."

A graphic illustration of the Jewish scene under the Nazis is supplied by the official Nazi Radio in Brussels which announced that the German Military Command had ordered the execution of fourteen Belgian Nazis and four German soldiers for looting Jewish homes. The executions were announced in the streets of Brussels to stop the private looting of Jewish houses. It is for the Nazi State to loot the Jews, not private individuals.

In Brussels, the American Consulate has opened its doors for the registration of Jews wishing to emigrate to America. The Consulate is besieged by Jews whose only hope is to escape from Nazi tyranny. The staff is obliged to work seven days a week to keep pace with the applications.

FURTHER particulars of the fate of Jewish refugees who fled from Belgium to France show that approximately 150 Jews were killed in the bombardment of Rotterdam, 31 in Brussels, 20 in Antwerp and similar numbers in Liege and other Belgian towns.

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For glowing cheeks, Michel Cheek Color. For glowing skin, Michel Face Cream.

# Dressing up to Look Youthful

TO-DAY the Hollywood beauty experts reveal some of the subtler points of dress and appearance.

HERE ARE EIGHT RULES FOR THOSE WHO SEEK A FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.

1. Be very careful about foundation clothes. They give you firm modelling.
2. Insist upon good clean necklines.
3. Favour clear blues, beiges and greys. They clear the skin.
4. Wear white collars, either of the schoolgirl variety, or of the shape that men wear. Those with a more sophisticated cut are good, too.
5. An all-black dress has a Little-Orphan-Annie look. It's forbidding, so there can be nothing young about it.

Add to the all-black dress, if you would look younger and brighter, a detail of white or some becoming colour.

If you are mature, you'll get nowhere—as far as a youthful appearance goes—by wearing bright colours and frilly clothes.

They defeat their purpose, because they give you the effect of straining for youth.

Whatever your age-dress for it! The woman who dresses with the dignity of her years achieves a youthful quality that is denied the woman who borrows styles and affects that were designed for those ten years younger than she.

If you are beyond your first youth, attempt no extreme fashion. 1. Ladies who look innocent. Ladies who do not look innocent.

2. White neckwear, soft and stuffy. Laces, lingerie effects. Soft fur like wolf and fox, that absorb scent.

3. Black taffeta. Fringe. Shiny,戎戎 things.

4. Prints are downright dangerous. Because you never can be sure whom they will and whom they won't appeal to.

They're much too highly individual in their appeal to be counted upon to please a gentleman's fancy.

5. Suits that have soft feminine rather than the stiff collar and vest harshness of men's own apparel.

6. Good taste. Women who wear bright colours and extreme fashion may catch the masculine eye, but steady-going men of refinement are uncomfortable with a woman who is conspicuously dressed.

7. Simplicity. Fussy clothes with too many buttons and buckles and tricks sidy men.

Daintiness and fastidiousness: A clip or shoulder strap showing a hem out, the tiniest spot, thrown men into a panic.

If you're angular don't try to be softly curved. Be a clun, smart wedge.

Most angular people walk with an ungainly stride. So pay particular attention by your skirt. However they are tailor-



## Planning The Wedding Reception

DO NOT forget that whatever kind of reception you have, it should be thoroughly well planned beforehand, so that there are no worrying details or unforeseen hitches to mar the happiness which everybody should be enjoying on the wedding day.

### The Early Wedding

The sort of reception you give will depend to a certain extent upon the time of day in which the ceremony itself takes place.

If it is a morning wedding then the reception often takes the form of what we know as a "wedding breakfast," but which is really a luncheon party.

For a small party a "sit-down" meal is indicated which may take place in an hotel or your own house, as you prefer.

When an hotel is chosen the bride's mother merely has to discuss such things as price-per-head, menu, and flowers with the hotel manager, and see the private room in which the luncheon will be held, and then she can put the whole thing out of her mind and be quite sure that everything will be perfectly arranged and carried through.

### The Caterers' Aid

If you are rather perturbed at the amount of work entailed in having a reception at home, then you can ask caterers to come in and undertake the whole thing.

They will bring extra china, glass, tables, and chairs. They will also arrange the eatables and drinks and serve them.

The food for a bullet luncheon need not be extravagant, but it should be fairly substantial. Meat patties, cold galantine or other cold meats, such as chicken, pressed tongue, salads (some containing cream cheese, perhaps), and "open" toasted or

ed, see to it that they move gracefully—so they will do nice things for you.

Wear no thin materials and nothing that is soft, clinging, or draper. Heavy crepes should be important in your wardrobe.

E. B:

large sandwich tin, lined with paper. Bake 1 hour. For a change, currants, raisins, chopped dates, coconut or cherries may be added.

### SULTAN CAKE.

8oz. S.R. flour.  
2oz. plain flour.  
5oz. butter.  
6oz. sugar.  
½ nutmeg (grated).  
a little milk.  
2oz. lard or good dripping.  
½lb. sultanas (rolled in flour).  
3 eggs.

Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs, one at a time. Beat well. Then add the fruit and grated nutmeg; then flour. Mix well and add the milk. Put in a greased cake tin, and juice of a lemon, 1 egg, and little milk. Rub the dripping into the flour; add the baking powder, salt and sugar, then the sultanas (washed and dried) also the grated lemon rind and juice. Stir well together then add the egg beaten to a froth, and a little milk. Mix thoroughly, pour into a greased and floured tin, and bake in a moderate oven.

### ECONOMICAL DATE CAKE.

Cream 1-4lb. margarine and 1-4lb. sugar together in a basin. Put 6oz. stoned and halved dates with ½lb. self-raising flour and a little grated nutmeg. Add this to the butter and sugar with 1 beaten egg and half-cupful of milk. Mix well, and turn into lined cake tin. Bake in a moderate oven.

### SPANISH NUT CAKE.

1 cup self-raising flour.  
½ cup finely chopped walnuts.  
½ cup milk.  
1 cup sugar.  
2 eggs.

Separate the yolks from the whites, and beat well. Add milk gradually. Cream butter and sugar, and add egg yolks and milk. Then add walnuts and sifted flour and cinnamon. Add stiffly-beaten whites of eggs last. Bake in a deep cake tin about 45 minutes to 1 hour.

### LUNCHEON CAKE.

6oz. butter.  
2 eggs well beaten.  
essence lemon.  
6oz. sugar.  
1-4 pint new milk.  
½lb. flour.  
½ teaspoon carbonate of soda.

Cream the butter and sugar. Add eggs, milk, and sifted flour and soda (S.R. flour may be used.) Bake in

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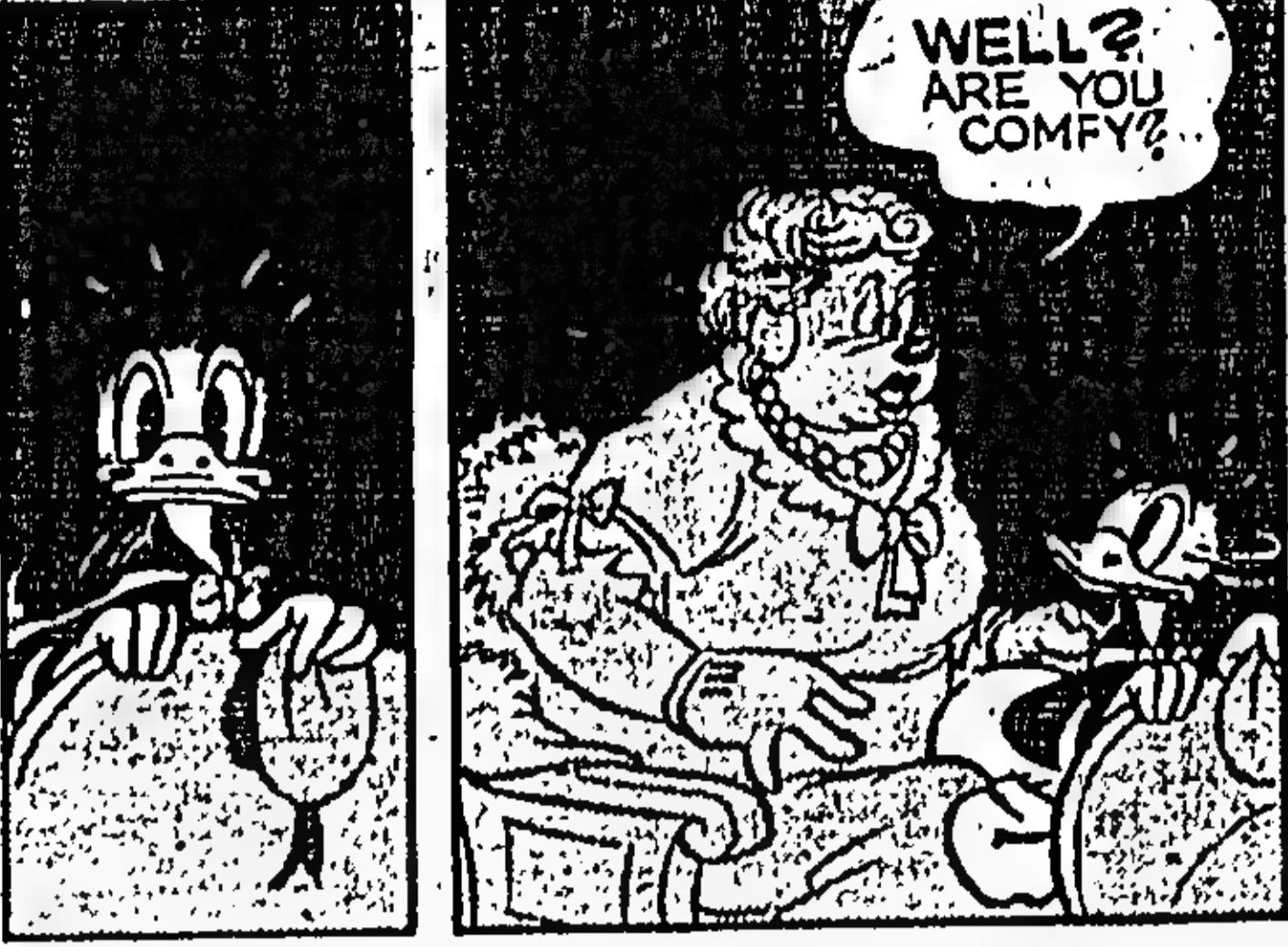
## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS	ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
1—Proverb	6—cup-shaped vessel
2—Slowly	7—Boat
3—Hesitate	8—Produced
4—Not sleeping	9—Donkey
5—High card	10—Reading desk
6—Aler	11—Source of bodily
7—Noise	12—Species of heron
8—Linen	13—Requirements
9—Civil wrong	14—Cupboard
10—Small tree of oak	15—Living made will
11—Faintly	16—Spare time
12—Authorised to receive	17—Instrument of
13—More than twice	18—Advantage
14—Side opposite to	19—Father
15—Wind	20—Pouch
16—Medicinal portion	21—Decorate metal with
17—Others from outside	22—Mark
18—Curious scrap	23—Royal
19—Urgent (French)	24—Living made will
20—Chafe (friction)	25—Honesty
21—Friction oil of	26—Observe
22—Search of learning	27—Cupboard
23—Long wooden staff	28—Cupboard
24—More sugary	29—Cupboard
25—With restraint	30—Wooden
26—Others from outside	31—Decorative action
27—Inscrutation	32—Noted period in
28—More	33—History
29—Third Universe	34—Wife
30—Yale University	35—Bandage
31—Cut into thin pieces	36—Turn inside out
32—Girle's nickname	37—Musical stops
33—Old times (poetic)	38—Dome with name of
34—Old times	39—Do harm to

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## 372-DAY BLOCKADE LIFTED

## Tientsin Returns To Normal

TIENTSIN, June 20 (Reuter).—After lasting 372 days, the blockade of Tientsin was lifted at 6 p.m. this evening. Free traffic between the British and French Concessions and the adjoining areas was restored.

The formal opening was preceded by a brief ceremony, when the Japanese guards were drawn up and inspected by an officer who addressed them briefly, after which they were dismissed.

The ceremony was greeted by loud hand-clapping from the huge crowd, consisting principally of Chinese. There were a few Japanese and foreigners in the gathering.

## 6 p.m. Ceremony

A few minutes before the opening, traffic was stopped by the barricade drawn across the street. Crowds of cyclists, cars and trucks extended along a block on either side of the barrier.

Prior to the formal opening, Chinese Police energetically but politely ordered people and vehicles to range themselves on the left side of the street.

At 6 p.m. sharp, the barricade swung aside.

The Japanese Consul-General, Mr. Oshio Moto, was personally authorised Japanese who wished to do so to reside and conduct their business in the British and French Concessions, according to the semi-official Japanese news agency.

Registration with the Japanese authorities by such persons and firms are required.

## Australia After War Huge Development Is Predicted

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LAKE TAMIMENT, PENNSYLVANIA, June 20 (UPI).—In a speech here today, the Australian Minister Mr. Richard Casey, predicted that Australia will have a great influx of population from devastated Europe after the war.

"Our development will proceed apace and our purchasing power will be multiplied, while I think our status will grow."

"Undoubtedly Australia will make increasing contributions to the economic development of the Pacific area in which America and Australia should increasingly collaborate," the Minister said.

## India's War Capacity

## Desire For Complete Development

LONDON, June 20 (British Wireless).—Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary for India, gave an assurance in the House of Commons this afternoon that the Government of India were no less anxious than he himself to develop India's war capacity to the full.

He referred to the statement broadcast by the Commander-in-Chief in India at the end of May in which the latter gave details of the measures being taken by the Government of India to raise and equip forces to India's maximum capacity, and also to expand her industrial and productive output to provide raw materials and necessities for use both in India and overseas.

**Development Conditioned**

The Secretary for India added: "It must be remembered that in India elsewhere, the development of resources in manpower is conditioned by the supply of equipment. With a view to making the best use of those resources, the Government of India and I are exploring every method of expediting the supply both of equipment and the means of producing it, and are pressing forward with our efforts to the utmost extent that is possible without hindering the supply of essential equipment required for immediate use elsewhere in the present emergency."

**New Committee For Artists' Guild**

At a meeting of the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild the following officers were elected to keep the Guild in being at this difficult time and carry on its work as far as possible.

President: Mrs. Alfred N. Macfadyen.

Vice-President: Mr. Luis Chan.

Hon. Organising Secretary: Mr. K. K. Liuc, B. A. Cantab, 23, Kent Road, Kowloon Tong.

Hon. Assistant Secretary: Mr. Sayer.

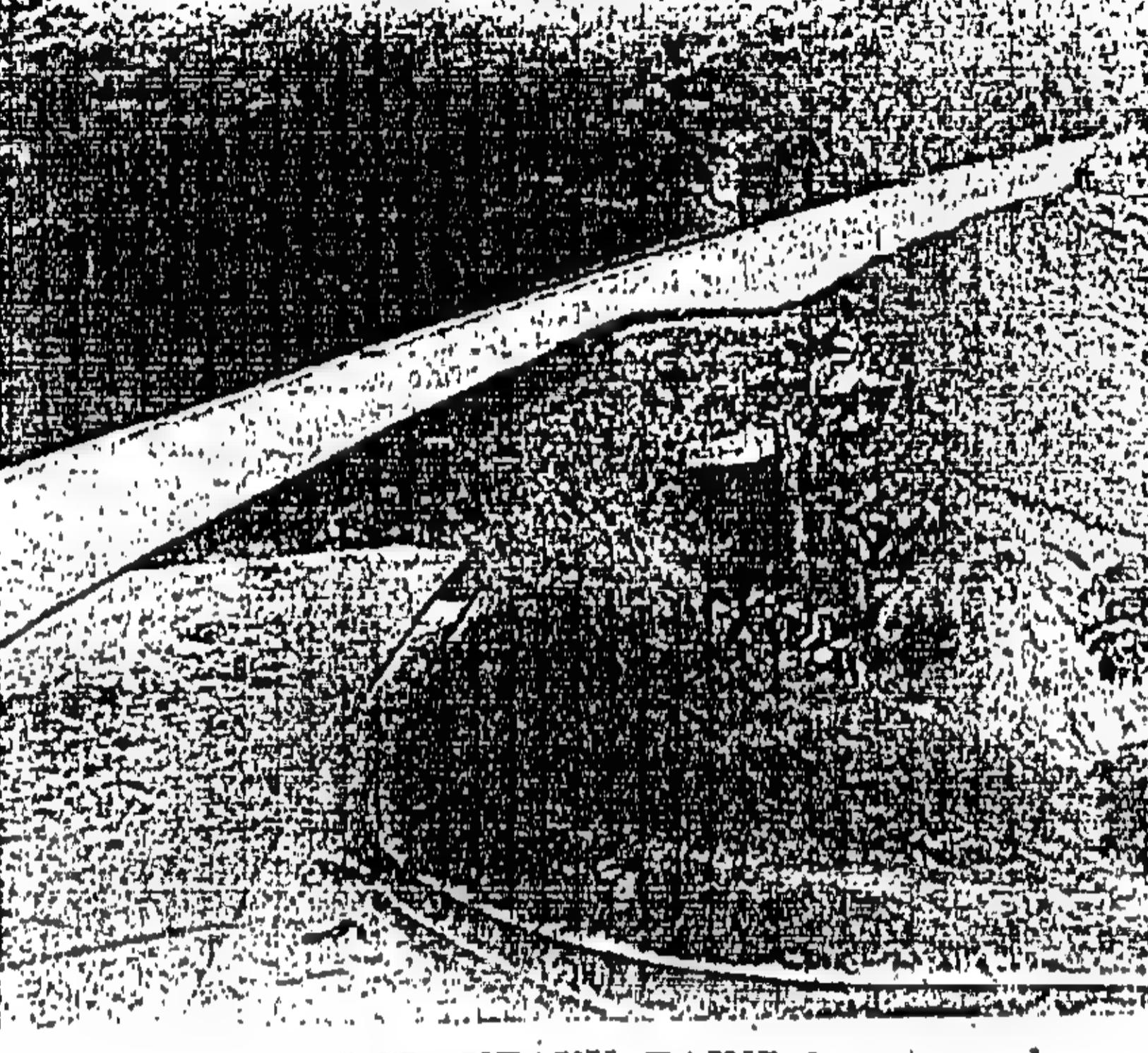
Hon. Treasurer: Mr. Alfred N. Macfadyen.

The membership subscription of the Guild was fixed at \$2 per annum (payable annually on July 1).

Information on studios, provision of models and art instructions, etc. can be had on application to Mr. K. K. Liuc or Mr. Luis Chan, 51 Gloucester Road.

Mr. Johnson Lee, who is shortly leaving for Singapore, Java etc. will represent the Guild abroad. He hopes to arrange with the Hon. Organising Secretary to show and sell the work of members.

Mr. T. Harantz represents the Guild in Shanghai.



THE RECENT HEAVY RAINS have caused considerable damage along the Cleverwater Bay Road, which has, as a result, been closed to traffic. One of the landslides is shown in this photograph.

## Week-End Of Rain Likely

## Year's Total 20 Ins. Above Normal

Prospects of a dry week-end are very poor indeed. Though it has not been raining heavily, it has been coming down steadily since yesterday evening and is likely to continue for some time.

The forecast, announced by the Royal Observatory this morning, is "South and south-west winds: moderate to fresh; cloudy; rain."

During the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day, rainfall totalled 1.41 inches. The wettest period was between 8.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. to-day when .785 of an inch of rain was registered.

The total rainfall since January 1 is now 53.53 inches as compared with an average of 33.43 inches.

## ITALIANS PAINT "MERCY" SIGNS

ROME, June 20 (Reuter).—The Italian Government announces that churches, museums, hospitals and historic monuments will be marked by a rectangle with a yellow background clearly visible from the air.

The rectangle will contain two triangles, one black and one white.

The British and French Governments have been notified.

## ALLEGED MURDER

## Sequel To Incident At Happy Valley

The killing of a contractor's foreman by cutting his head with an axe was alleged to have been committed by Lo Kau at the Criminal Sessions this morning, when he stood trial for the murder of Chung Ming, before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor.

Lo pleads not guilty and is being defended by Mr. T. F. Lo, instructed by Mr. C. Y. Kwan, Mr. J. P. Murphy, Assistant Crown Solicitor, is for the prosecution.

Jury members are: Messrs. T. F. Stanton (Foreman), Au Young Kimlin, A. Butt, Wong Iu-ping, E. V. M. B. de Souza, Chung Wal-lam and G. S. Ladd.

Mr. Murphy said Chung was a contractor's foreman and at the time of his death was employed by Chung Chung-chau in rebuilding No. 21 Blue Pool Road, Happy Valley. Lo was one of the workmen employed in the job, and together with others lived in the house while the work was in progress.

On April 1, when Chung Chung-chau visited the place, the deceased complained to him that Lo was lazy and refused to do what he was told. Accordingly, Lo was dismissed, but he remained in the house until 11 a.m. on April 3, when, it is alleged, he committed the murder.

## Alleged Crime Described

On the morning of the crime, Mr. Murphy continued, Lo had his meal with the other workmen in a room, which was used by the carpenters as their workshop. After the meal Lo remained in the room, and there were also present at the time three carpenters: Chung, Wing-wah, a nephew of the master, and deceased, who was seated on the edge of a bed, reading a plan which was laid on a table nearby.

Wing-wah was reading a paper when he suddenly heard a groan. On looking up he saw Lo striking Chung on the head with an axe. Chung's head was drooping over the table and blood was spurting from it. Wing-wah shouted out "Save life!" and at the same moment he saw Lo deliver two more blows with the axe on the head of Chung. After he had committed the crime, Lo ran down Blue Pool Road, followed by Wing-wah who, however, failed to catch him.

Chung was subsequently taken to the Queen Mary Hospital, where he died shortly after admission. He had three deep cuts at the back of the head, all of which penetrated the skull, and they were the cause of death.

## Tried To Escape

Lo was arrested at the Macao steamboat wharf the following morning. When he was seized by the detective he struggled and tried to escape. He was handcuffed and taken to the Central Police Station, where he was charged. In reply to the charge, he said: "I have nothing to say." Subsequently, he brought the Police to the hillsides near Blue Pool Road, where an axe and his jacket, both of which were covered with blood, were found.

Mr. Murphy concluded by submitting that the crime was committed by Lo was motivated by a desire for revenge because Chung had procured his dismissal.

Hearing is proceeding.

## S-W CHINA CUT OFF

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuter).—Declaring that French acceptance of Japan's demand in substance to the closing of the Yunnan-Indo-China border, the "Asahi Shimbun" stresses that the passage of Chinese will be markedly restricted, and that visits of Chinese leaders to foreign countries through Indo-China will be virtually impossible.

Japan's acceptance of the French reply, the newspaper adds, has resulted in a settlement of the negotiations for the removal of Indo-China's pro-Chiang Kai-shek activities.

## CORSICA REVOLT REPORT

Rome, June 20. The Stefani News Agency's Geneva correspondent states that insurrection has broken out in Corsica, but gives no details.—United Press.

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**OSWALD.**—On Thursday, June 20, 1940, at Gourock, Scotland, William Robert Oswald, late of Taikoo Dockyard, beloved husband of Margaret Oswald.

**The Hongkong Telegraph.**

Friday, June 21, 1940.

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**Employment in Britain**

There is much uneasiness in Britain and amazement elsewhere that in spite of all the calls of the war there still remain several thousands of persons out of employment. The French are frankly mystified—they have not been able to get enough labour. What is the meaning of this surplus of labour in Britain after nine months of war when man-power is such an essential part of the nation's war potential?

The answer is simple. The difference between Britain on the one hand and France and Germany on the other is that in Britain there was no military conscription before last June and consequently there were no millions of trained men to be instantly mobilized.

Consider what happened. First, hundreds of thousands of persons were deprived of work by the mere dislocation caused by the partial evacuation of vulnerable cities and the shutting down of certain industries. More than 200,000 people in the building industries alone became unemployed by the orders to stop building construction. The introduction of gas rationing deprived of their occupation scores of thousands of men engaged in automotive services. The Government's exhortations to the public to reduce consumption of goods led to less buying and less manufacture.

To set against this there has been the absorption of men into the Army and the other fighting services, and the employment of hundreds of thousands of additional men in the war supply industries.

These two factors were enough to reduce unemployment, but not enough to cause to abolish it. If the British had instantly called up the 3,000,000 men who will ultimately be required for service there would have been the same shortage of labour as there is in the conscript countries now at war, and the same necessity to get certain men back from the Army to service in the factories. But to have done so before there was the means of training them or the equipment for arming them would have been folly.

In a month from now the transition period will be over. Some 2,500,000 persons from Great Britain alone will be in the fighting services, and others

# Foch Was Unrelenting Till Sued For An Armistice

At the beginning of October, 22½ years ago, the German High Command confessed defeat. "A peace offer to our enemies must be issued at once," Hindenburg told the quaking Government in Berlin. "I want to save my army," Ludendorff wailed.

Germany had them to learn that choice of the moment for beginning war does not confer the power to decide when war shall be ended. Negotiations for an armistice went on for a month while the Allied forces, attacking without respite, drove the German armies back upon their own frontier.

The Siegfried line of those days was shattered. Further withdrawal meant the invasion of Germany. The German troops at the front could neither stand fast nor retreat in order. The Navy, called upon to fight, replied by mutiny. The Allies sought safety from his own people on neutral soil.

The terms of the Armistice drawn up by the Allies required unconditional surrender.

In the first hour of the morning of Nov. 7, 1918, Foch received a wireless message giving the names of German envoys who would meet him. Not for a moment was the vigour of the Allied offensive relaxed. From Lorraine to Ghent the guns still thundered and the infantry pressed on.

"In a death-dumb, autumn-dripping mist," the German delegates motored from Spa to the front.

**WHEN ENVOYS ARRIVED**

Only at the point to which they had been ordered was there no firing. The convoy of five motors brought Erzberger, the President of the Mission, Count Oberndorff, Gen. von Winterfeldt, Post-Captain von Selow and their companions had to explain that they had been delayed by roads almost destroyed and the disorder of retreating troops.

Then a long motor drive brought them to the railway junction of Tergnier. They complained afterwards, with a characteristically German sense of grievance, that the journey was unnecessarily prolonged to show them the devastation made by their own armies. In the grey dawn of Nov. 8 their train stopped in a forest by the black outline of another, in which Foch and Adm. Wemyss, the British First Sea Lord and plenipotentiary, had arrived the night before. Both trains were on sidings built for heavy railway guns, which, "one of the densest corners of the Compiegne forest" screened from aircraft.

"On a chilly and cloudy morning," Foch related afterwards, "Weygand came to my carriage and announced, 'Here they are.' It had rained for several days and the ground was a mere lake of mud. . . . Although the German train was only 90 yards distant a sort of gangway had been thrown on the soft and four men were striding along it. I looked at them and said to myself, 'So this is the German Empire. At last it is beaten and begs for peace. I am going to treat it as it deserves, with hate or brutality, but with firmness.'

He received them in a coach still preserved, a restauranteur-car with two compartments made into one and a large table in the centre, its design of the famous old wagon-lit type. They were standing "pale and still" when Foch and Wemyss appeared, salutes were exchanged. Marshal and admiral, of course, and the German officers were in uniform. Erzberger and Oberndorff wore civilian clothes.

Erzberger, "a little man of impulsive ways," presented his colleagues and their credentials. Foch was coldly courteous. He sat down on one side of the table between Wemyss and Weygand; from the other side the Germans.

Then, in one sharp phrase, Foch laid down the conditions of the meeting. "What do you want of me?" he asked Erzberger. There was no pretence or disguise; Germany had sent an embassy to admit defeat and sue for peace.

But though the whole structure of German aggressive power was collapsing, the delegacy still quibbled over acknowledging defeat. They had come, said Erzberger, to receive the proposals for an armistice from the Allies.

Four years of war against frightenedness had not been fought to allow evasion of surrender. "I have no proposal to make," said Foch sternly.

Erzberger was dumb; the Germans fumbled over their next move.

The diplomatist, Oberndorff smoothly suggested that they were quite ready to say they had come to set the conditions for an armistice. "I have no conditions to give you," Foch retorted.

Waiting their turn. The way manufacturers will be still expanding, and employing female as well as male labour. The export industries are getting under way under strenuous efforts in which the Government and the manufacturers are co-operating. Some unemployment

is an inevitable phenomenon

in a country organized for peace, suddenly called upon to reorganize itself for totalitarian war. But it is temporary.

Erzberger found his voice again to recite the message from President Wilson that Foch had "authority to state the conditions of armistice."

"Do you wish for an armistice?" Foch demanded, and with one voice Erzberger and Oberndorff cried out, "Yes."

Defeat had been acknowledged, surrender had been offered. Foch was ready to give them his conditions. He instructed Weygand to read out the principal clauses of the armistice, each of which was translated at its close. The complete text was handed to the Germans.

In dead silence the clear-spoken phrases were heard. Foch sat immobile as a statue, except that once or twice he pulled at his moustache. Wemyss played with his eyeglass. The German civilians listened erect and impulsive.

Erzberger and Oberndorff showed no more concern than at an ordinary political conference. Gen. von Winterfeldt grew pale and disconcerted, and "the young German captain," Gen. Weygand has recorded, "could not hide his emotion."

At the end of the recital, on the announcement that Germany had a time limit of 72 hours to refuse or accept, Erzberger made a vehement appeal for the instant cessation of hostilities. "For God's sake, M. le Maréchal, do not wait those 72 hours. Stop the hostilities this very day. Our armies are a prey to anarchy. Bolshevism threatens them, and may spread over the whole of Germany and threaten France itself." Von Winterfeldt then put the same plea in another way: "For technical reasons" the Allies should cease firing.

Foch would have none of it, and the Germans relented. During the shod." But they preferred to decode the Marne, the second this vigil before the Armistice.

Towards eight o'clock on Nov. 10

At eleven o'clock that evening accepted the conditions, and Foch only two nights in the war on which

urged the delegates to sign "If they could not get full allowance, they desired to avoid useless blood-

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## CALL FOR RECRUITS

### H.K. Men Want To Go Abroad

In connection with the opening of recruiting for the regular Army in Hongkong of British subjects between the ages of 21 and 39 the military spokesman told the "Telegraph" this morning that several applicants have made enquiries.

"Applicants for enlistment in the Army all want to know whether they can be sent to Europe to fight," the spokesman said. "In reply we have to tell them that there is no guarantee of sending them away as our responsibility is the defence of Hongkong. We point out that those who enlist in the Army here must take their chance of being sent abroad with everyone else. When men are sent they may be sent too," he added.

It is pointed out that most young men in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps prefer to stay in the Volunteers, as they can not be sure whether they will be sent away to fight in Europe. If they join the regular Army, they prefer to wait until men are sent as in the last War from the Colony.

For this reason the response to the recruiting cannot be considered poor. Under the circumstances it is understandable.

Details for enlistment in the regular army in Hongkong are as follows:

British subjects between the ages of 21 and 39 of pure European descent are eligible for enlistment into the regular Army for the duration of the present emergency. Application should be made to the Officer Commanding the unit which the applicant wishes to join, or after June 17, 1940. Service will be in Hongkong in the first instance, but no guarantee can be given as to the future disposal of persons enlisting.

Rates of pay are to be as under:

Normal daily rates of pay—non-tradesmen:

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On Private	2/- to 4/3
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L/Sergt. 4/0	6/-
Sergeant 6/-	7/-

Rates of pay for men accepted as tradesmen may be ascertained by the applicant from the Officer Commanding the unit into which enlistment is desired.

In addition in the case of a married man family allowance is admissible for wife and children:

Sergeant and below, 17/- weekly (if not in occupation of allotment if not in occupation of married quarters), plus qualifying allotment from the soldier's pay (which in the case of one on the lowest rate is 7/- weekly), plus family allowance for each child as under:

First child 5/- weekly  
Second child 4/- weekly  
Third child 3/- weekly  
Each additional child 3/- weekly  
Dependent allowance (when a soldier supports relations other than a wife and children)—12/- weekly, 17/- weekly and 20/0 weekly, according to circumstances. Each of these rates include the prescribed allotment made from the soldier's pay—which in the case of one on the lowest rate is 7/- weekly.

Dependents allowance is not admissible in respect of a soldier when family allowance is issued.

## Fruiterers Fined

### Sold Products After Regulation Hours

Three fruit and vegetable dealers were summoned before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistrate this morning with selling fruit after 8 p.m. and carrying on a retail business during prohibited hours.

Defendants were Cheung Yuk-sai of 347 Nathan Road, ground floor, Wong Man-chek, of 357 Nathan Road, ground floor, and Lau Yui, of 483 Nathan Road, ground floor. They were represented by Mr. M. W. Lo.

Mr. Lo said his clients were not only fruiterers but also sold vegetables, aerated water, biscuits and cigarettes. They were members of a guild called the Vegetable and Fruit Owners Guild.

### Special Permission

Defendants had written through the Chairman of the guild to the S. C. A. asking for special permission to sell fruit after 8 p.m. and were told by the Chairman that they could do so.

"It was not a case of defying the law, but of misunderstanding," said Mr. Lo.

Mr. Lo added that his clients told him that they obtained most of their business after 8 p.m. in catering to hotels and restaurants.

First defendant, Cheung, was fined \$10, while the other two were fined \$10 each.

Imposing the fines, Mr. Macfadyen remarked that although the defendants had not actually defied the law, they were still guilty of a technical offence.

## COALITION CABINET FOR U.S.

### FROM PAGE ONE

#### No Third Term?

It is believed by Mr. Alfred Landon, the Republican candidate for the presidency, that President Roosevelt has given Colonel Knox and Mr. Henry Stimson an assurance that he will not be a candidate for a third term as President.

News of the appointments came as a bombshell at the Republican Convention at Philadelphia. Nevertheless, Republican leaders uniformly congratulate President Roosevelt on choosing two good men.

Mr. Landon, who had earlier refused to enter a Coalition Government, said: "I hope Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson have not been misguided. But the country is to be congratulated that President Roosevelt has taken action to repeat two vital positions in our national defence."

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., President Roosevelt's Republican cousin, urges the two Republicans not to accept office with the Democrats.

#### Washington Excited

WASHINGTON, June 20 (Reuter).—The nomination of Colonel Frank Knox and Mr. Henry Stimson for Cabinet seats caught Washington without warning and has provoked excited reaction.

Coming only four days before the Republican National Convention for the nomination of a presidential candidate, the effect is doubly startling, and Congress buzzes with talk on its bearing on presidential politics.

The immediate Congressional reaction appears to be unfavourable.

A Senator, who was one of the leading candidates for the Republican nomination, said: "I see no reason for a Coalition Cabinet and I do not regard this as a Coalition."

#### Is It A Prejudice?

Senator Clark expressed the opinion that appointments were a prelude to putting the United States into war.

Senator Wheeler said he believed that Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson would be glad to see America go to the aid of the Allies to the extent of declaring war.

Both Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson have been staunch defenders of President Roosevelt's foreign policy.

#### No Coalition

Mr. Herbert Hoover, formerly President, stated that Mr. Stimson and Colonel Knox were entering the Cabinet "to give personal advice and are not representing the Republican Party."

Mr. Hoover added that there was no question of a Coalition being involved.

#### Speaks For Itself

PHILADELPHIA, June 20 (Reuter).—Mr. Henry Stimson and Colonel Frank Knox now "owe allegiance to the President and hereafter will speak and act in that capacity," declared Mr. John Hamilton, the Republican National Chairman.

He added that the desire of both Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson "for American intervention in European affairs is so well known that their appointment speaks for itself."

#### Excitement In Senate

WASHINGTON, June 20 (Reuter).—The announcement of the nominations of Mr. Henry Stimson and Col. Frank Knox produced scenes of excitement on the floor of the Senate.

Senator Holt, of West Virginia, said he recently read in a newspaper that there was "pressure" from London to get Mr. Harry Woodring, the Secretary for War, out of the cabinet.

Senator Holt added: "It has succeeded. Did Lord Lothian tell the President?"

Republicans generally express bitter condemnation of Mr. Stimson and Col. Knox.

#### Out Of G.O.P.

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH".

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—Colonel Knox and Mr. Stimson are no longer considered members of the Republican Party, the National Chairman of the Party said to-day.

Anxiety For Canal

Authorities Fear Panama Sabotage

PANAMA, June 20 (Reuter).

—There have been reports of a possible Nazi or Fascist action against the Panama Canal, either by attack or by sabotage.

There is evidence that the United States authorities are taking these seriously.

The canal zone unit of the American Red Cross have put out a call for the registration of trained and experienced women for first aid work and as motor drivers.

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## WAR FUND NEARLY MILLION

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#### fulfillment of the Italian colonial claims, declares Signor Gayda writing in the "Giornale D'Italia."

The new peace must be, he stated, "more just than Versailles."

He also prepares the Italian public for America becoming Britain's ally.

#### Want Fight Continued

CAIRO, June 20 (Reuter).—The French colony has sent a telegram to M. Lebrun and General Weygand urging France to continue the struggle.

They offer to place the entire services and property of the colony at the disposal of France.

#### French Government Rumours

LONDON, June 20 (UP).—According to unofficial information reaching London the Petain Government has left Bordeaux.

It is even rumoured that the Government has left France with the intention of establishing an Administration on foreign soil.

M. Laval and M. Flaudin are said to have played a significant role behind the scenes during the crucial period culminating in the fall of the Reynaud Government and the request for an armistice.

Unofficial sources state that M. Laval paid a visit to Rome a few days before Mussolini declared war and also that he conferred with General Franco at Madrid.

#### Berlin Report

BERLIN, June 20 (Reuter).—An official news agency despatch report's the French Government is proceeding to Blarritz from Bordeaux.

#### FRENCH CONTINUE FIGHT

### FROM PAGE ONE

Further to our letters of 19th and 20th June, we enclose our cheque for HK\$400,000.00 (Dollars Four hundred thousand only) being the third instalment from the "South China Morning Post" and the "Hongkong Telegraph" War Fund.

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armies entrapped in Lorraine. They are being constantly attacked by the Germans from the north, east and west, but are succeeding in maintaining their formations as they fight their way through the Nazis towards the Mediterranean.

The armies which supported the Maginot Line are now attempting to fight their way through the enemy lines in both Alsace and Lorraine.

The Germans claim that they now occupy all of France to the Loire, Allier and Rhone rivers as far as the heights of Lyon.

16,000 Poles Interned

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH".

BERNE, June 21 (UP).—An official Swiss communiqué states that 28,000 Allied soldiers were interned in Switzerland.

This total comprises 16,000 Poles and 12,000 French troops.

Yesterday's influx of soldiers laying down their arms brings the total to 40,000.

#### U.S. Ambassador Under Guard

### SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, June 21 (UP).—The B.B.C. broadcast this morning that an armed guard has been placed around the U.S. Embassy in Paris.

The U.S. Ambassador is not permitted to use the telephone.

#### Contestants

## "Captain Foster's" Racing Review

# PERFORMANCES OF THE CHINA PONIES

## Several Return From Retirement To Fill Gaps: Confusion Bay Outstanding

OWING TO NON-DELIVERY of China pony subscription griffins, the Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club had no other alternative but to call up the "reserves" to fill the programme, and there was certainly no discrimination of prizes between a good 'orse and a "hack" pony. The flat events confined to old China ponies during the first half of 1940 racing season can hardly be dismissed without some comment.

In the past, the "A" and "B" classes of China ponies had all the say at the Annual Carnival, but this season the small owners of "C", "D" and "E" divisions were very much in the limelight.

They should pat themselves on the back that their steeds were provided with attractive contests (the entries practically at all times being divided into two sections) from sprint to distance outings.

One would hardly believe that several ponies, which had retired from the Valley, came back into the arena, and a good few earned enough stake money to keep them going for another year.

### "B" Class Stake Winners

THE FOLLOWING is a list of stakes money won by "B" class old ponies:

Avon	\$1,300
Bear Claw	1,250
Blue Diamond	700
Conqueror Time	300
Expansion Time	550
For All Time	250
Galaxy	300
Humdrum Eve	850
Hyndford Bridge	
Jennifer	1,350
Jober	1,850
Just In Time	600
King Kong	1,950
Lancashire Lass	950
Lilliber	550
Peaceful View	1,000
Potentate	250
Red Feather	800
Rob Roy	
Rose Emily	800
Rose Jane	200
King Kong, the winner of the Governor's Cup and other events, is now the only sub-griffin left in the "B" section, and the bay heads the list with \$1,050 to his credit. For an outlay of only \$450 the owner has won in all \$7,750, and King Kong's racing career is not yet over.	

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OTHER EARNINGS

AMONG the other "A" class ponies Navylight won \$2,644. Eve of Heaven made \$750. It is learned on good authority that Desert Chief will not be donning Mr. Eu Tong-sen's colours any more, for he has found a new home in Mr. Bob Charles' riding school where Herod is now upkeep.

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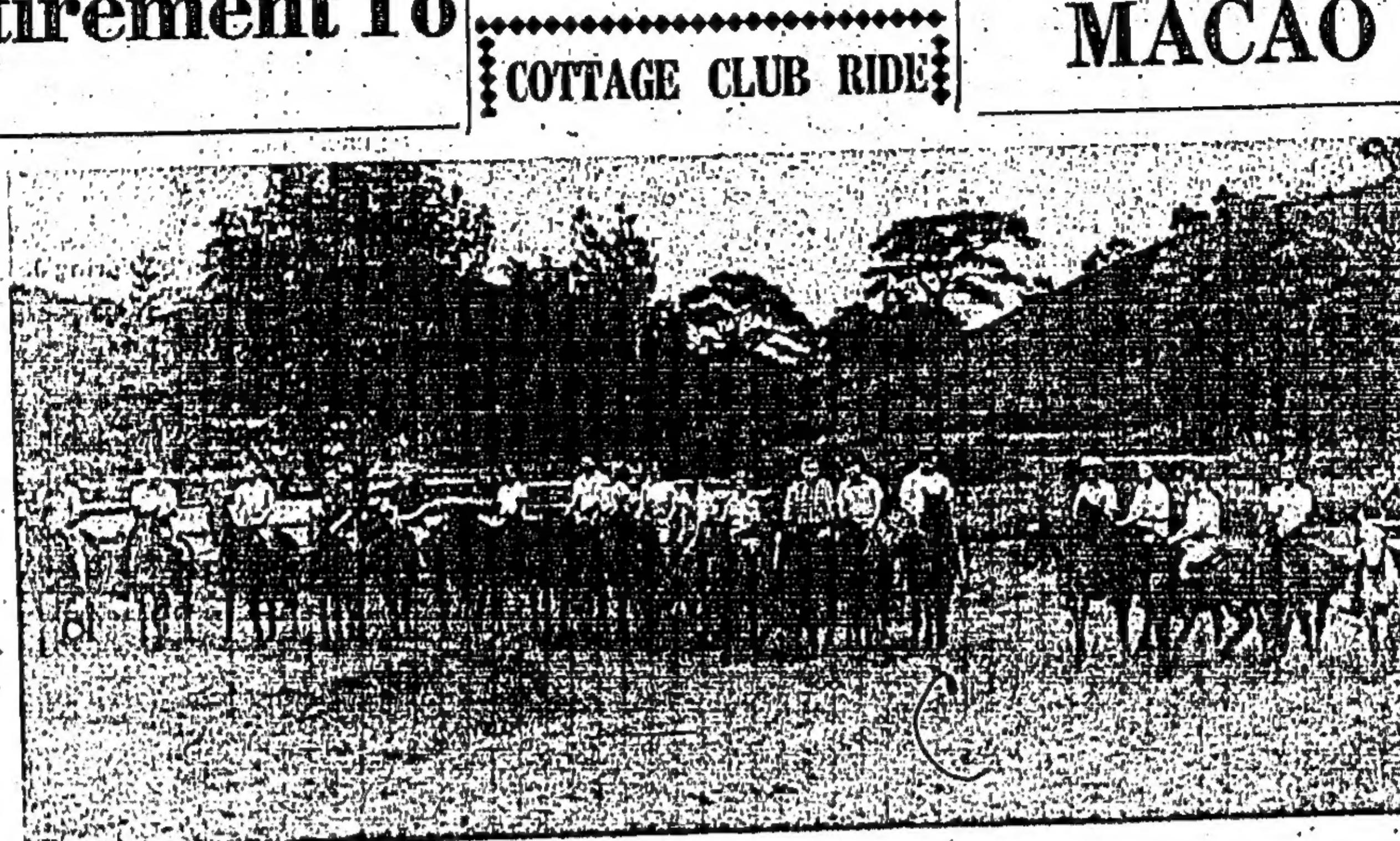
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COTTAGE CLUB RIDE

## MACAO RACES ON SUNDAY

### Four Sprint Events Over Half-Mile: Special Sweepstake

THE LAST MEETING of the Macao Jockey Club before the recess will be held at Areia Preta on Sunday, first saddling bell being rung at 2.30 p.m. sharp.

With the exception of the Governor's Cup and George Potts' Memorial Cup, both of which are over a mile, the other four events are fast runs over half mile, and good entries have been received.

A special dollar cash sweep is being conducted on the Governor's Cup (kindly presented by His Excellency, the Macao Governor) and it is expected that the first prize will be better than the last, namely, \$11,517.06.

Mr. H. C. Pih is definitely making the excursion trip, for Mr. Li Lan-sang has nominated three ponies, and it would be advisable to follow him. He was certainly in great form at the last meeting, piloting four gees to victory, and the jockey scored a "hat trick". A similar feat was accomplished by Mr. S. W. Fan at the January meeting when he steered four winners.

However, the conditions of his cup have been altered to be won twice instead of "in succession", and this makes easier for all owners.

Since the inception, Mr. Gary Cooper was the first successful owner with Merry Doer, and he was followed by Mr. Potts' Shanghai 4. Mr. H. McComb was the next, scoring with Hogmanay, and the last win was by Meadow Eve owned by Mr. H. Y. Liang.

Meadow Eve put up a poor show in his last outing, but he has been set to carry 142 lbs.—the same weight when he registered his first win. If he can reproduce the same spirit and courage, Meadow Eve is worth \$5 each.

If the result of the Chairman's Cup run about a fortnight ago can be taken on face value, the finish of the Governor's Cup on Sunday should be Fairy Ouse, Fairy Aule and Hogmanay.

Mr. Pih was the jockey on the winning horse, while Shanghai 4 is being nursed by a veterinary surgeon. Dow-Jones may spring a surprise.

Hark Sha Wan H'cap (Second Section)

IN the second section of the Hark Sha Wan Handicap, the post of honour has fallen upon New Bedford, and despite the heavy burden, the grey should win.

King's Envoy is sure to throw out a strong challenge, and so will Mac's Adventure, who won the Namiao Handicap quite comfortably at the last meeting.

Wild Bear looks good for big money.

### Joe Louis T.K.O's Godoy In 8th Round

#### Loser Bets To Continue After Fight Stopped

NEW YORK, June 20 (UP)—The Cincinnati Reds, leaders of the National Baseball League, were again defeated to-day, losing to the Philadelphia Phillies 4-3. The neck-and-neck race between the Detroit Tigers and the Boston Red Sox in the American circuit continues with their positions unchanged, both teams being defeated to-day.

Complete scores were:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Cincinnati	3 0 1
Battery: Thompson, Beegs, Lombardi, Herschberger.	
Philadelphia	4 1 0
Battery: Higbe, Atwood, Warren	
Chicago	3 0 0
Battery: French, Root, Olsen, Todd.	
New York	6 7 0
Battery: Schumacher, Melton, Danning	
Pittsburgh	6 12 1
Battery: Borchert, Brown, Lopez.	
Baltimore	7 12 1
Battery: Fette, Coffman, Erickson, Berres, Mast.	

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	0 12 1
Battery: Dean, Heusser, Hayes.	
Detroit	0 8 2
Battery: Newhouser, McCalan, Tebbets.	
Boston	1 0 0
Battery: Gainey, Hause, Koenig.	
St. Louis	2 6 0
Battery: Nigeling, Sturz.	
New York	0 5 2
Battery: Pearson, Dickey.	
Chicago	1 11 0
Battery: Rigby, Trisch.	
Washington	1 4 0
Battery: Masterson, Montague.	
Cleveland	12 10 1
Battery: Feller, Hemaley.	

#### TOO MUCH RACING

ALTHOUGH Marksman was not minuted for a few races at the annual and extra meetings, the champion sub-griffin of last year's batch failed to appear before the Clerk of the scales.

His last public performance was in

the Sub-Griffins St. Leger run on

November 4, when he finished in the

ruck. I do not profess to be a

trainer, but the possibility of donning

the silk looks remote at the resumption.

The sub made an aggregate of

\$6,030 for the owner during 1939,

but the bay had too much racing.

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ous, even pleasant to smell.

#### SUPER-KILLER

Louis re-established himself as the ring's super-killer with his technical knock-out. Godoy was a rugged and blood-smeared challenger who foiled Louis over 16 rounds in February.

The fight was scheduled for 15 rounds.

Godoy weighed in at 20 1/4 lbs. and Louis at 169.

After the referee had stopped the fight, Godoy ran to Louis' corner and begged for a chance to continue, but he was escorted back to his own corner by the police.

The referee, Billy Cavanagh, lifted

Godoy from the canvas and halted

the bout after Godoy had been floor-

ed once in the seventh and twice in

the eighth rounds.

Godoy was apparently helpless,

and was spouting blood from gashes over

his left eye and on his cheek and

mouth.

### Fanling Starting Times

#### Sunday

##### OLD COURSE

0.18 G. Park, W. Hewitt.

0.20 D. Humphreys, I. H. Geare.

0.24 P. E. Anna, W. Hall.

0.26 J. M. Macleod.

0.28 Lieut. Wyld.

0.30 Lieut. Munro.

0.32 Lieut. Jessiman.

0.34 Major.

0.36 Lieut. Bonham.

0.38 Lieut. Carter.

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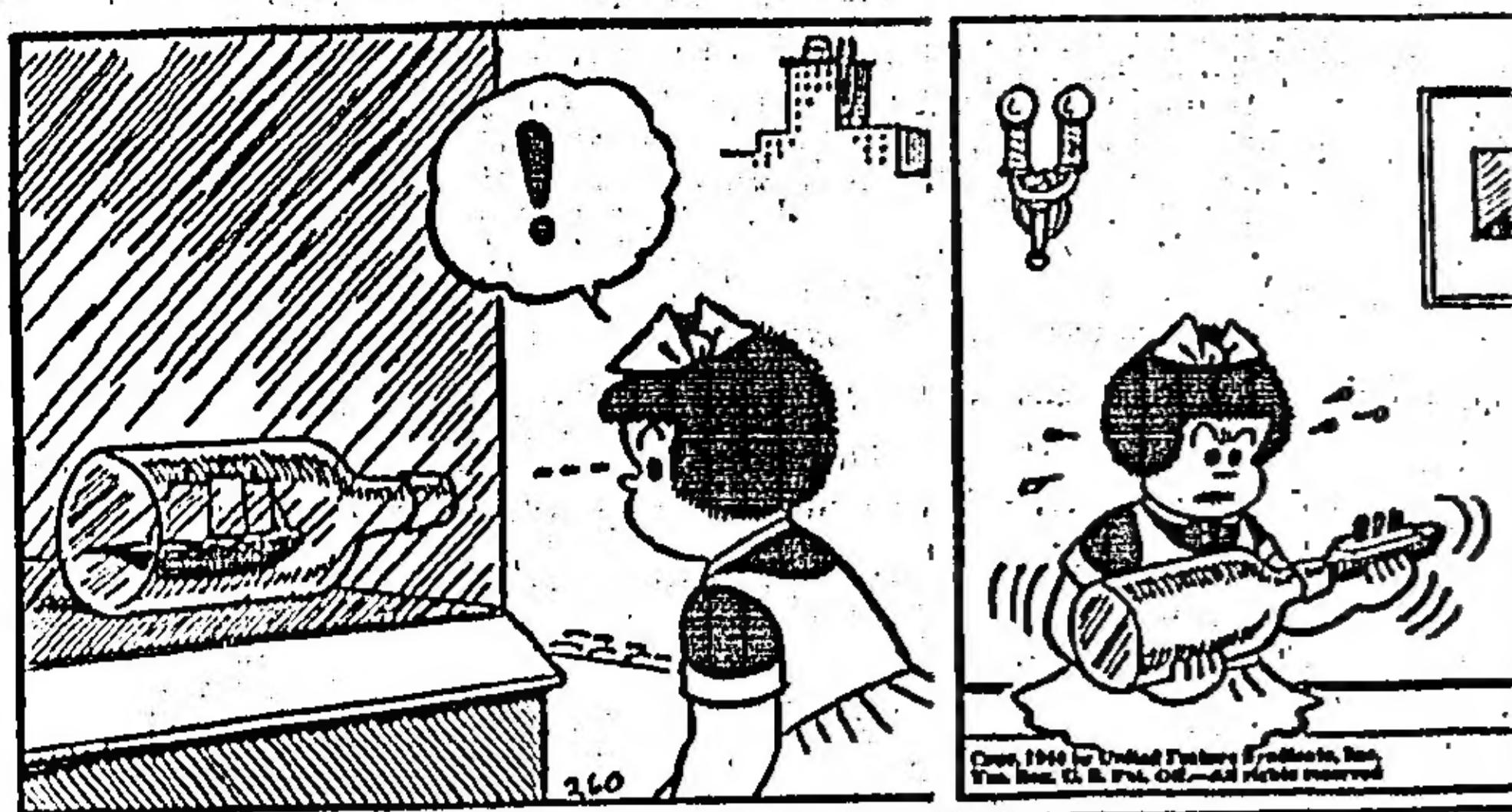
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NANCY



## "Happy As A Cricket, Tough As Nuts" LONDON DELIGHTED BY THE ANZACS

LONDON, June 20. (Reuter).—Convoys by the Royal Navy, a large contingent of Australians, New Zealanders, Tasmanians and Maoris have arrived in England.

They travelled for thousands of miles without an enemy submarine being able to get near them.

As they came ashore shouting, singing and cheering, they looked (in the words of the B.B.C. observer) as fit as a fiddle, as happy as a cricket and as tough as nuts.

The B.B.C. observer asked one man what he thought of the situation.

**Know It Would Be Tough**

The man simply replied: "We knew it was going to be tough."

As they came ashore they got into trains which were waiting to receive them.

An Australian Army band played "Waltzing Matilda" and "There will always be an England."

This band was only formed a few months ago. Quite a number of the men in it had never played in a band before they joined the army.

**Menzies' Announcement**

CANBERRA, June 20 (Reuter).—Mr. R. G. Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, to-day announced in the House of Representatives the arrival in England of contingents of the Australian Imperial Force and the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Mr. Menzies said it was of the greatest significance to the rest of the world that at this critical hour Australian and New Zealand troops joined troops from Canada in the heart of the Empire.

The decision to despatch forces in Britain was based on the consideration that the troops should be located where their assistance would be of the greatest service to the Allied cause.

## Evacuation Plan Approved

### Effect Of Scheme Explained

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).

It is authoritatively stated that all the Dominions concerned have accepted the scheme for the evacuation of British children.

Liaison offices are being established in the London headquarters of the scheme.

When the doors opened at 9 a.m. this morning, 3,000 were waiting.

**Weekly Evacuation**

It is explained that the scheme does not contemplate the despatch of masses overseas, but that it is proceeding on an orderly expanding scale week by week.

It is not regarded as a substitute for the Government's major policy for the evacuation of children to places within Britain.

The scope of the scheme is limited by the offers made by the Dominions and the shipping facilities available.

The suggestion of the evacuation of schools en bloc is regarded as entirely impracticable.

**Sydney's Offer**

SYDNEY, June 20 (Reuter).—Over 1,000 British children have been offered homes here.

### "Welcome" Awaits Parachutists

NEW YORK, June 20 (Reuter).—The entire output of a firm which manufactures sub-machine guns is being sent to Britain.

This means 5,000 tommy guns at present.

The factory is trying to speed up its output as fast as possible.

## French Troops Cross Into Switzerland

BERNE, June 20 (Reuter).—About 40,000 troops from France have now crossed into Switzerland.

About 28,000 arrived last night, including 16,000 Poles.

**French Laying Down Arms**

MONTRÉUX, June 20 (Reuter).—Nearly 2,000 disarmed French troops and as many civilians have arrived at Neuchâtel from the frontier.

They include an anti-aircraft contingent of 40 officers and 600 men with camouflaged cars, lorries and equipment.

### EMPIRE'S EFFORT

#### War Contributions Flow To Britain

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).

Some indication of the huge and varied contributions in cash and kind which have been pouring into Britain from all parts of the Empire was given by Mr. Bryan Meredith in a talk from Daventry to-day.

It is a long list which grows longer as each day and hour passes, he said.

It ranges from heavy material support to heavy spiritual support.

The sum total is several million pounds of comforting cash.

One list entitled "Military and other gifts" has been made by the Colonial Governments, chiefs of various bodies, individuals in the British Colonial Empire and His Majesty's Government organisations.

This list goes for pages and pages, not only because so many peoples have contributed, but also because the gifts are so many, so varied and so human.

**Money For War Organisations**

There has been lashings of money for the Red Cross, St. Dunstans, the Y.M.C.A. and other war organisations as well as money for war expenses or some specific purpose, such as giant bombers.

Then there are many homely items, not in cash but in kind.

In Tanganyika, for instance, some chieftains and their people have given portions of their 1939 harvests of coffee and maize.

Another tribe sent 50 lbs. of tobacco for the services, while another sent 10 tons of rice to the King's African Rifles.

**50 Turtles For Navy**

In Jamaica, 50 live turtles have been given to the Royal Navy by a firm which specialises in them. The lonely little Island of Tristan da Cunha has sent woolen comforts knitted by 25 inhabitants.

Organisations and individuals too have sent gifts.

The Chinese section of the Red Cross of Trinidad has sent money for two ambulances.

**Lepers Contribute**

In Fiji, 600 lepers have contributed half of the money raised for their support.

The list could go on for hours and hours as it is so vast.

To the people at home these gifts represent good will and prayers that are both humbling and heartening.

### SIX AGE GROUPS TO REGISTER

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Two age groups are being registered this month and arrangements are being made to register four further age groups in July.

This means that by the end of next month the men of 33 years of age will have registered for military service.

The men of 20 years of age will register next Saturday.

In all more than 1,000,000 additional men will have registered by July.

## CANADA'S FINE WHEAT CROP

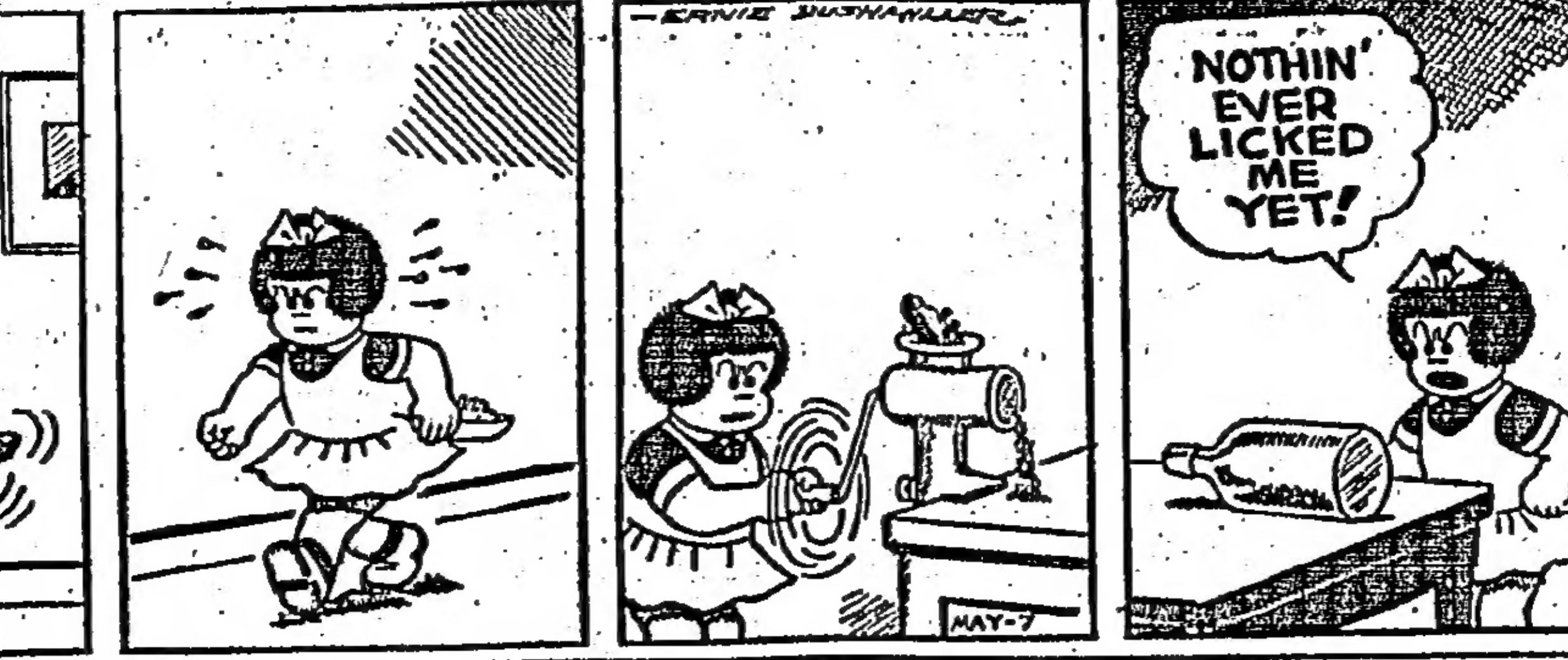
LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Cables from Ottawa suggest in contrast to the gloomy food outlook in Nazi-occupied Europe, that Canada promises to break all records in grain production.

There are nearly 1,800,000 acres and more under wheat this year, while in the maritime provinces the rains have induced excellent growth in the pastures and forage crops.

In addition, Canada will have a record carry-over of 241,000,000 bushels of wheat with the new season.

At the frontier posts they are being disarmed and interned.

By Ernie Bushmiller



### Dishonourable Proposal By Ex-Premier

## HERTZOG WANTS TO "RAT" ON ALLIES

JOHANNESBURG, June 20 (Reuter).—General Hertzog, former Premier of South Africa, has written to General Jan Smuts, the present Premier, proposing that South Africa should "immediately take all necessary measures to withdraw from the war."

General Hertzog asserts that the Allied cause "is doomed to failure" and protests against the "reckless risk to national freedom and the senseless sacrifice of African youth in a fruitless struggle."

He declares that further measures of compulsion for the prosecution of the war might lead to far-reaching disturbances.

**Dishonourable Proposal**

General Smuts, in a letter replying to General Hertzog, said that this "dishonourable proposal" had already been decisively rejected by Parliament and that he did not doubt, if re-submitted, it would suffer the same fate.

General Smuts added that he could not be expected, solely on General Hertzog's personal pressure, to violate the decision of Parliament.

General Smuts added that friends and advocates of Hitler, who look expectantly for a Nazi victory, will most probably meet the same disappointment as in the last war.

**Notrality, A Broken Reed**

Germany herself had exposed the fallacy of General Hertzog's argument that the Union could be kept from danger by remaining neutral. Neutrality had not profited Denmark, Norway, Holland and Belgium.

Germany had shown malice to the Union by continuous hostile propaganda and the formation of a Fifth Column.

The Union Government would carry out its policy on the mandate of Parliament and should not allow its execution to be nullified by political propaganda or threats of violence.

### 9 Rescued After Days Of Horror

#### New Dunkirk Drama Comes To Light

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—Details of the rescue of nine French soldiers by a British fast motor boat some time after the withdrawal of the Allied troops from Dunkirk have become known in London.

For nine days these survivors had existed on board a wreck, sunk in shallow water within a few miles of Dunkirk.

One of the British officers on board was among the last to leave the Maginot Line.

**Notables Aboard**

"On board the ship were Sir Maurice Peterson, the former French Minister, M. Pierre Cot, Baron Robert de Rothschild, the French dramatist M. Henri Bernstein and the Belgian Foreign Minister M. Jasper.

The Czech-Slovakian Minister, M. Ossusk, was not on board. He returned at the last minute to Bordeaux to look after six Czech-Slovakian airmen.

After nine days without food or water they were rescued.

The party had originally consisted of 20 but 11 perished.

Four men built a raft and set out for England not to be seen again.

Seven others had died after drinking sea water.

The survivors had burnt their boat partly to supply warmth at night and partly to attract attention.

### STOCK EXCHANGE ACTIVE

LONDON, June 20 (Reuter).—On the Stock Exchange to-day, gilt-edged holdings were active and rose on continued demand.

Industrials were narrowly irregular.

Foreign holdings were more active on the removal of the ban on dealings in certain securities.

Oils were easy. Shell and transport holdings declined following the announcement that there will be no further dividend for 1939.

Wall Street was narrowly irregular.

### INDUSTRIALISTS OFFER AID

SYDNEY, June 20 (Reuter).—Eight leading Australian industrialists have agreed to help the Mining Board in order to obtain a maximum production.

Boards of Management have been set up in each State with wide powers to extend the present factories, to build new ones.

Unmined resources are available states the Prime Minister.

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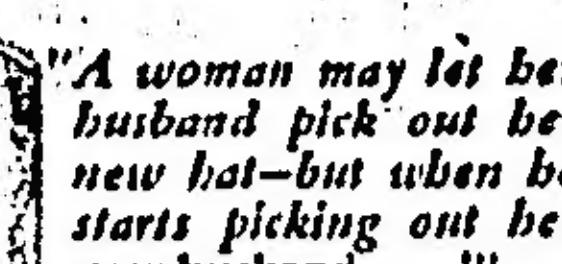
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## LATE NEWS

### DOLLAR LOAN SUBSCRIBED

The Hongkong Government 3½ per cent. Dollar Loan for \$11,700,000 has been fully subscribed, the "Telegraph" was officially informed, this afternoon.

The loan was opened to the general public on June 18 and was closed at 3 p.m. yesterday.

Of the \$11,700,000, \$5,700,000 was placed privately and \$6,000,000 was offered for public subscription.

Interviewed this afternoon, the Financial Secretary, Mr. H. R. Butters, would not state whether the balance of \$6,000,000 had been entirely subscribed by public subscription or whether any balance had been left on the hands of underwriters.

However the Treasury is now in possession of 25 per cent. of the full total, and the remaining 70 per cent.—the price of issue was 50c. per cent.—is payable on July 10.

The entire proceeds of the loan will be utilised to repay to the Treasury certain amounts which have, from time to time, been advanced from the Colony's surplus balances for the carrying out of various public works.

These public works include the Aberdeen Valley Water Scheme, the Shing Mun Valley Water Scheme (\$10,130,142), the Vehicular Ferry, the new Gaol at Stanley, the Tyman-Tuk Catchwaters, the Kai Tak Airport, and the new Central and Wholesale Markets.

These schemes actually absorbed \$26,000,000, but the \$11,700,000 loan floated this week is only part of a loan authorised by Legislative Council in 1934, the first portion (\$14,000,000) being floated in that year.

Although the Treasury will now be repaid the amounts it has temporarily advanced for the above public works, pending floating of the balance of the Dollar Loan, the Colony will still require to float yet another Loan before the Treasury can be reimbursed for the full amounts advanced for public works.

To date approximately \$3,000,000 has been advanced against this proposed Loan for such public works as balance of amount necessary to complete construction of the new Central Market, certain waterworks, and extension of Kai Tak aerodrome. The total cost of these public works is estimated at \$4,430,500, all of which excepting \$60,000 will have been expended this year and for which the Colony's balance of funds will be out of pocket until the new proposed loan is floated.

### \$650,000 SENT TO LONDON

Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Colonial Secretary, informed South China Morning Post Ltd, this afternoon that the sum of \$250,000 received as initial donations from War Fund was remitted to London this morning by telegraphic transfer to H. M. Government in United Kingdom for the purchase of aeroplanes or of such other armaments as His Majesty's Government may decide.

A further cheque for \$400,000, received at 2 p.m., is being remitted this afternoon.

In acknowledging receipt of these initial contributions from the War Fund, Hon. Mr. North writes:

"I am to take this opportunity of expressing to you this Government's high appreciation of your initiative in opening this fund and its satisfaction at the splendid response which has been made to your appeal by all sections of the community."

### Raids On England

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—Commenting on this week's air raids on Britain the "Daily Herald" says: "So far little damage has been done, but we must remember that the assaults have been small in scale. We must read as the campaign develops for real mass air raids."

Several newspapers comment on the efficacy of the "Anderson" Shelters.

Their ability to stand up to blast and splinters has been amply proved," says the "Daily Mail." In some cases bombs dropped only a few yards from the steel shelters have left the occupants unharmed."

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### ITALIAN'S DON'T LIKE THE TRUTH

TOKYO, June 21 (Domel)—The trouble between the Italian Embassy and the American-owned "Japan Advertiser" has been settled with publication of following statement by the newspaper: "We regret that yesterday's editorial entitled 'Mussolini's Role' should have given offence to some members of the Italian community."

The editorial in question said: "In the world in which ethics has fallen to a low ebb there may be some sort of honour left but Mussolini's role of falling upon the victim after it has been bled to death will command no admiration outside Italy."

Members of the Italian Embassy called on Mr. Wilfred Fleisher, Manager of the newspaper, and demanded an apology, which was refused.

Japanese Foreign Office spokesman announced this morning that matter had been "amicably settled."

### French Liner Still Held In Hongkong

Although permission was given last night for the French mail liner to leave Hongkong to-day, the order was countermanded this morning. The liner has a number of passengers aboard. She is en route to French Indo-China from Shanghai.

It is understood that French vessels all over the world have requested to remain in British ports until the situation clarifies as a precaution against them falling into enemy hands.

A coastal vessel was permitted to depart for Indo-China at 12.30 p.m. to-day.

### Anzacs Welcomed

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—This morning's newspapers extend a warm welcome to the Contingent of Australian and New Zealanders who landed in England yesterday.

"It was the grandest convoy in all history," says the "Times" in an editorial.

The "Daily Telegraph": "This reinforcement is powerful. Yet it is only a vanguard of the power which the Dominions will put into the war."

The "Daily Mail": "One thing alone made this great task possible—mastery of the seas."

### CASH SWEEP TO AID WAR FUNDS

The stewards of The Hongkong Jockey Club have decided to appropriate the net proceeds of the Special Cash Sweep on the Kwangtung Handicap, scheduled to be run in October this year, for division equally between British War Funds and the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China.

TOKYO, June 21 (Domel)—Commenting on new appointments to U.S. Cabinet, Foreign Office spokesman said: "Occupied as he will be with official duty, Mr. Stimson will have little time left to attend to the business of the Committee for Non-Participation in Japan's Aggression. (Stimson is prominent official in U.S. Committee which seeks more material aid for China.—Ed.)

NEW YORK, June 20 (Domel)—French and German plenipotentiaries are meeting in identical wood near Compiegne where, 22 years ago, German delegates signed terms for Armistice that ended Great War.

JUNO, June 21 (Domel)—New appointments to U.S. Cabinet are greeted with unreserved satisfaction in British official and civilian circles. They are taken as indicative of America's intention of giving positive aid to Britain.

NEW YORK, June 20 (Domel)—Unconfirmed reports state that Soviet Union is massing considerable forces on German frontier in Slovakia, giving rise to rumours that relations between Reich and Reds are deteriorating.

Germany is reported to be concentrating forces in East Prussia, and is stated to have taken some units from Western Front for this purpose.

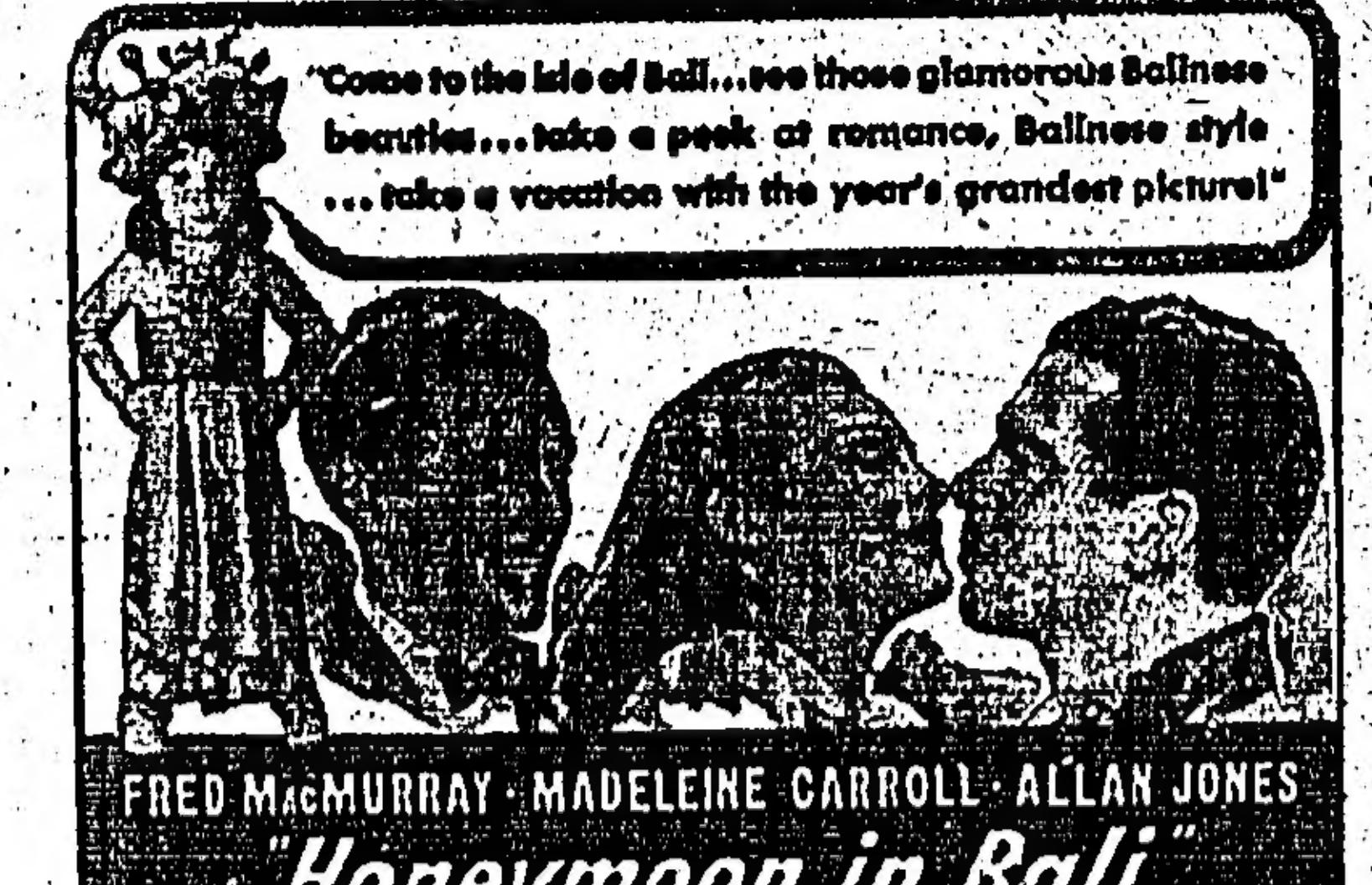
NANCHANG, June 21 (Domel)—Large scale fighting reported in Nanchang area.

OTTAWA, June 20 (Reuters)—The Canadian House of Commons has passed a Government Bill mobilising all human and material resources of the Dominion for the prosecution of the war.

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